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Births.

BOWKER.—July 29, at her residence, Tredegar, Darling Point, the wife of R. Steer Bowker, M.R.C.S., Eng., L.R.C.P., L.M., Ed., of a son.

HEIMBURG.—June 16, at Oldenburg, Germany, the wife of Paul von Heimburg, of a daughter.

MORT.—July 27, at Greenoaks Cottage, Darling Point, the wife of W. Edye Mort, of a daughter.

Marriages.

CRIMSTON—CUTHEL.—July 26, 1888, at the residence of Mr. S. Hall (step-father of the bride), by the Rev. J. B. Freeman, Alfred John, second eldest son of the late Alfred William Crimston, of Sydney, to Margaret, second eldest daughter of the late David Cuthel, of Werombi.

HOBBS—CORTIS.—July 25, 1888, at All Souls' Church, Leichhardt, by the Rev. Thos. Holmes, Oliver Hobbs, Esq., of Jindalee, Cootamundra, to Alice Weddell, youngest daughter of William S. Cortis, Esq., M.D., Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

KELTY—WHITNEY.—July 4, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Canon Read, William Kelty, M.B.C.M., of Carcoar, to Isabella Rachel, eldest daughter of W. F. Whitney, Coombing Park, Carcoar.

Deaths.

BOWYER.—July 29, at his parents' residence, 44, Riley-street, Surry Hills, James Walsh, third son of G. and A. Bowyer; aged 24 years.

JOHNSTON.—On the 29th instant, from accident, Frank second son of the late Mr. Francis Johnston, Albert-street, Paddington, aged 20 years.

M'DOWELL.—July 29, at her parents' residence, Brighton-st., Petersham, Elsie Mary, dearly beloved daughter of John and Alice M'Dowell, aged 3 years and 4 months.

PALMER.—July 21, at his residence, Castle Hill, Frederick Boyce Palmer, aged 50 years.

PASSMORE.—July 29, at his residence, 331, Kent-street, Peter Passmore, in his 72nd year.

SMITH.—July 13, 1888, at her residence, Shepherd's Creek, Jane, relict of the late Robert Smith, aged 68 years.

SQUIRES.—July 28, at his residence, Avon-street, Glebe Point, Edward W. Squires, in his 25th year. Friends will please accept this intimation.

WESTHEIDER.—July 29, at his residence, Pile-street, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, William John Westheider, aged 63 years.

WOOTEN.—July 18, at his residence, Emu Bay, Tasmania, Francis Clover Wooten, aged 45 years.

In Memoriam.

LEVISON.—In loving remembrance of Albert Charles Levison, who departed this life on July 29, 1887, aged 20 years. Lost, but never forgotten.

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CALEDONIEN	H. De Maubeuge	August 25	August 28.
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TO-MORROW, July 31, 4 p.m.	BURWAH	W. Ellis
THURSDAY, Aug. 2, 12 noon	GAMBIER	R. R. Brown
FRIDAY, Aug. 3, 5 p.m.	BARRABOOL	T. Richardson
TUESDAY, Aug. 7, 4 p.m.	KONOOWARRA	G. Smith

For ADELAIDE, via Melbourne.

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THURSDAY, Aug. 9, 12 noon	BUNINYONG	J. D. Joy

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TO-MORROW, July 31, 4 p.m.	RODONDO	W. Seymour
SATURDAY, Aug. 4, 1 p.m.	LEURA	F. Stanford
TUESDAY, Aug. 7, 4 p.m.	BURWAH	W. Ellis

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Bundaberg, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek (also see separate advertisement).

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ORMUZ	6116 tons	A. Charlton	July 31
CUZCO	3845 "	J. H. F. Nixon	August 14
GARONNE	3876 "	W. E. White	August 28
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Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Leave Sydney noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.
Arcadia	6600	W. B. Andrews	Aug. 6	Aug. 10	Aug. 13
*Massilia	4918	S. D. Shallard	Aug. 20	Aug. 24	Aug. 27
Oceana	6600	G. N. Hector	Sept. 3	Sept. 7	Sept. 10
Carthage	5013	E. G. Stead	Sept. 17	Sept. 21	Sept. 24

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Steamer.	Commander	Leave Sydney, noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Adelaide, Semaphore.
Salier	C. Thalenhorst	Aug. 15	August 18	August 20
Hohenzollern	A. Meier	Sept. 12	Sept. 15	Sept. 17
Hohenstaufen	F. Kessler	Oct. 12	Oct. 14	Oct. 17

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Passage from Sydney to Southampton and Antwerp, £14 to £65, to Bremen, £14 to £67 10s.
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THIS COMPANY offers to intending passengers and shippers the quickest and most comfortable means of reaching Melbourne, Adelaide, and Port Pirie.
THE EXPRESS STEAMERS of this Company leave Sydney every SATURDAY:—
From the Company's Wharf, Lime-street, off Erskine-street.
S.S. ADELAIDE ... SATURDAY, August 4 ... at 1 p.m.
S.S. VICTORIAN ... SATURDAY, August 11 ... at 1 p.m.
PORT PIRIE DIRECT SERVICE.
S.S. FRANKLIN, for Cargo only, WEDNESDAY, August 1, at 1 p.m.
At greatly reduced rates.
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Saloon—Single ... £2 5 0
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Return tickets available for six months.
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THIS (Monday) NIGHT ... MEEINDERRY ... at 9 p.m.
THURSDAY, August 2 ... MEEINDERRY ... at 9 p.m.
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MELBOURNE.—By steamers of the A. U. S. N. CO. every Tuesday and Friday.
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SPECIAL REDUCTION IN PASSENGER RATES AND FREIGHTS TO ALL QUEENSLAND PORTS.
Swift Mail and Passenger Steamers sail as under from Grafton Wharf:—

MELBOURNE Wharf direct	Cintra	This day, noon, July 30
	Elamang	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3.
BRISBANE	Warrego	To-morrow, 5 p.m., July 31
Ditto	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
Ditto	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
Ditto	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
Ditto	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 7
MARYBOROUGH, Tuesday's and Sat'day's steamers change at Brisbane	Warrego	To-morrow, 5 p.m., July 31
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., August 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
BUNDABERG	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
GLADSTONE	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 8
ROCKHAMPTON, Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Keppel Bay	Warrego	To-morrow, 5 p.m., July 31
	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., August 7
BOWEN	Warrego	To-morrow, 5 p.m., July 31
PORT MACKAY (Flat Top), TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Wednesday's steamers change at Brisbane	Warrego	To-morrow, 5 p.m., July 31
	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
	Cintra	Tuesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 7
	Glanworth	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 8
	Elamang	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR (change at Cleveland Bay)	Warrego	Tuesday, 5 p.m., July 31
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
THURSDAY ISL'D, NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields), changing in Brisbane	Eurimbla	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
	Ranelagh	Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 3
	Katoomba	Saturday, 1 p.m., Aug. 4
BURKETOWN, change at Normanton		
NOUMEA, ANEITYUM, HAVANNAH HARBOUR, NEW HEBRIDES	Gunga	Wednesday, 5 p.m., Aug. 1
SUVA, Fiji; LEVUKA, Fiji; ADELAIDE	By early steamer	

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Passengers' tickets issued by ship's officers charged 5s extra.
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The magnificent swift passenger steamer CINTRA, 2000 tons, sailing from Grafton Wharf THIS DAY, 30th instant, at noon, will take passengers to arrive in Melbourne on the opening day of the Exhibition.
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WOLLONGONG—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, Saturday, noon (pass. only).
KIAMA—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.
SHOALHAVEN—Tuesday, Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA—Wednesday, noon, cargo, 11 a.m.; Friday, 10 a.m., cargo 8 a.m.
CLYDE, BATEMAN'S BAY—Friday, 10 a.m.
MORUYA—Friday, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
TATHRA (for BEGA)—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.
EDEN—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.
BERMAGUI—Wednesday, Saturday, noon.

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TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) NIGHT, at 11.30, the NEWCASTLE.
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H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

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THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 11.30, the NAMOI.
TO-MORROW NIGHT (Tuesday), taking cargo only, LUBRA.
Goods will not be received after 4 p.m. this day. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. For particulars apply at the Central Booking Office, 353, George-street, or at Office, 147, Sussex-st.
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RICHMOND RIVER.
S.S. QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, TO-MORROW MORNING, at 11.
Shippers are requested to send cargo down early.
Goods for Fairfield may be shipped via Casino.
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WAGONGA, TILBA TILBA, BODALLA, EUROBODALLA, and NERRIGUNDAH.—S.S. UNION, TUESDAY NEXT, at 4 p.m. All freights payable in Sydney.
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RICHMOND RIVER.
S.S. BELLINGER, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 7 p.m.
Cargo booked via Casino for Tenterfield and Fairfield.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

FAIRFIELD GOLDFIELDS.
S.S. BELLINGER, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 7 p.m. Cargo booked via Casino for Drake, Red Rock, White Rock, Tabulam, &c.
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PORT STEPHENS and CAPE HAWKE.
S.S. EMMA FYERS, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 4 p.m. Passengers and cargo now booked.
B. B. NICOLL, Victoria Wharf.

JOHN SEE AND CO'S LINE OF STEAMERS leave Market Wharf, Market-street, for
MANNING RIVER, S.S. ROSEDALE, THIS DAY, 7 p.m.
" S.S. ROSEDALE, THURSDAY NEXT.
PORT MACQUARIE, S.S. WELLINGTON, THIS DAY, 4 p.m.
" S.S. WELLINGTON, THURSDAY NEXT.
BELLINGER RIVER, S.S. WELLINGTON, THIS DAY, 4 p.m.
NAMBUCCA RIVER, S.S. FERNMOUNT, TUESDAY.
Cargo received daily up to within an hour of sailing.

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S.S. AUSTRALIAN, TO-MORROW NIGHT, at 9.
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From Gosford, 2 p.m. Fares—4s single, 6s return.
SUNDAY EXCURSIONS from King-st. Whf., 9 a.m., via Darling-str.; No. 4 Jetty, 9.30 a.m. Return, 5s, available day of issue.
Goods received at King-st. Whf. ONLY. Freight payable in Syd.

PARRAMATTA RIVER AND HUNTER'S HILL STEAMERS LEAVE KING-STREET DAILY for ALL WHARVES: TO
PARRAMATTA—6, 7, 9, 11 12 (Sat. 12.15), 1, (Sat. 1.15), 3, 5.5.
HUNTER'S HILL, &c.—6, 7, 7.45, 9, 9.30, 11 a.m., 12, 1 (Sat. 12.15, 1.15), 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7, 8, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.
Steamers leave No. 4 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., calling at all wharves.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE RIVER STEAMER FERRY.
HOURLY, from LIME-STREET WHARF, calling at Atlas Works, Greenwich, and Woolwich.
Cargo Boat daily from Lime-street, at 1 p.m.

A TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR AND HEAD OF MIDDLE HARBOUR DAILY (Landing at Clontarf). S.S. LEVERET leaves No. 2 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 10.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Fare, 1s.

MANLY BEACH. MANLY BEACH.
6d. FROM No. 2 JETTY. 6d.
The ADMIRAL, specially fitted up for the service (weather permitting), leaves No. 2 Jetty, 7.15, 10.35, 2.35, 5.30.
Manly—8.15, 12, 4.45, 6.5. Return fare, 6d.
Patronise this new opposition service and suppress monopoly.
Freight carried at reduced rates. Printed lists on application. Office, No. 2 Jetty.

MANLY BEACH, the most beautiful watering-place near Sydney.
Saloon Steamers BRIGHTON, FAIRLIGHT, and NARRABEEN (weather permitting, and as far as practicable)
LEAVE SYDNEY 7.15, *8, 9, 10.30, 11.30, 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.15, 7.30, 9, 11.15.
LEAVING MANLY, 7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 10, 12, 12.30 2, 3, 4.30, 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 10.
*Mondays only.
Special Time-table for Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.
Reduced Fares—Return Ticket, 1s; children, 6d.
Freight received from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturdays, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., holidays excepted.
Loose hay and straw cannot be shipped.

FOR PORT PIRIE, S. A.
CHEAPEST and SHORTEST ROUTE FOR CARGO to BROKEN HILL and SILVERTON.
Weekly Service, via Adelaide.
Fortnightly Service, DIRECT.
At greatly reduced rates.
FRANKLIN (DIRECT), WEDNESDAY, August 1, at 1 p.m.
ADELAIDE, via Adelaide, SATURDAY, August 4, at 1 p.m.
CARGO Rates quoted for delivery at store doors, Broken Hill, and Silverton.
Loading Berth—Lime-street Wharf.
G. S. YUILL, Agent, 39, Pitt-street.

SHIP GLADSTONE, from LONDON.
CONSIGNEES are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for CIRCULAR QUAY.
The ship will not be responsible for loss of, or damage to cargo after it has been landed.
BILLS of LADING must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the office of the undersigned before any goods can leave the Wharf.
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., Agents.

CAPTAIN RUGG will not be responsible for any Debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

SHIP CITY OF YORK, FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH.
Captain BAXTER will NOT be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBTS contracted by the CREW.
JOHN FRAZER and CO., Agents.

TONNAGE wanted, to load from Lyttelton; also, Oamaru, for Europe. MASON BROS., Limited.

WHARFAGE.—First-class accommodation available. Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-st. T. and W. Willis, agents.

YACHT for SALE, 8 tons, length 33ft., beam 11ft. 10in., draws 4ft. 6in.; sails, spars, lockers, anchors, lifebuoys, &c., complete; a splendid sea boat, and very fast; price, £150: nearly new. R. J. PAGE and CO., 91, Elizabeth-street.

FOR SALE, a DINGY, 12ft. long, quite new, cheap. Apply No. 64, Goodsir-street, Balmain West.

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Annual Income exceeds £1,250,000.
First-class Dwellings, Eighteenpence per £100.
Lightning and Gas Explosion damages paid.
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TRAVELLERS BY SEA AND LAND.
PORTMANTEAUS, TRUNKS, and BAGS, in every size and style.
JOHN BRUSH, SON, and CO., Saddlers, opposite Royal Hotel, Sydney.

Personal.

DUCKSIE,—Why don't you write to address given, Wednesday? H.

IF PATRICK FOLEY (or his children), from Ennistimon, County Clare, Ireland, when last heard from by his brother, Cornelius Foley, of Vermont, N. America, he was in Sydney. Any information will be thankfully received by his niece, Mrs. A. ROWE, Queensland Hotel, Erskine-street, Sydney.

J. P. BROSNAN, late on staff of Queanbeyan Age,—Send address to W. P., Box 3, P. O., Queanbeyan.

JOHN GOVER, write to S. M. Hutchins, Burwood Post-office.

MR. ALLAN, Rowling, Woollahra.—Call 12, Bond-street.

MISS HENNESEY, late of Botany-street,—Please call at Tilion, junction Oatley-rd. and Stewart-st., Moore Pk.

NICHOLSON'S Corner, at 10 minutes past 12 on Saturday.—You were not there, Glebe. Disappointment. Communicate with Bright Hopes, Box 842, G. P. O.

OSWALD TWIST,—A Letter for you at Victoria Hotel, Geelong.

SIGMA,—Come in to-day, or send message to say you are well. Vixen.

WILL Mrs. HOLMAN call at Mr. Butt's residence, Newtown? Important news from home.

WILL Mr. KERRIGAN call on Mr. Nichols, 103, Queen-street, Woollahra?

WILL Gentleman who made appointment with lady Wednesday last, 8 o'clock, corner Hunter and Macquarie streets, meet same time and place next Tuesday?

WILL Mr. HERMAN RIESS, late of Goulburn, call on the undersigned; or his present whereabouts will be thankfully received by PRINCE, OGG, and CO., Pitt-street.

Lost and Found.

IF the person who took charge of Dog on Thursday night at Brighton Hall, Petersham, will kindly return him to Mr. CHRISTMAS, Elswick-street, Leichhardt, he will be rewarded.

LOST, Bunch of KEYS. Finder returning same to 120, [illegible]

…and all BALD PATCHES COVERED by the use of Dr. BARBAROSSA'S CANTHARIDES and RUSSIAN BEARS' GREASE OIL the pure expressed oil of Russian bears' fat. It makes the hair grow long and glossy. Price 2s 6d. Sold by all wholesale houses and by perfumers and druggists. Agents for the Australian colonies, WASHINGTON H. SOUL and CO.
Send for Price List, and Save Money.—£3 worth Free to any railway station or port in this colony or to any port in Queensland, S. Australia, Tasmania, or New Zealand. £5 worth to Fiji or New Guinea.

KILL THE INSECTS AND THEIR EGGS with [illegible] Insect Exterminators …

FOUND, Fox Terrier DOG. Apply J. G. S…, 87, Caroline-street, Redfern.

STRAYED, into my premises, brown PONY, no brand. Apply J. Knight, Lyons-street, Alexandria.

Exhibition Notices, &c.

EXHIBITION OF WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES.
IV. DEPARTMENT.—MECHANICAL WORK.
Delegate: Mrs. FAIRFAX, Admiralty House, St. Leonards.
Hon. Secs: Mrs. M'FARLAND, Braeside, St. Leonards. Mrs. CLIVE (for correspondence), Kinimbla, St. Leonards.
In this Department it is intended to award three prizes in each section; for the first prize a silver medal, for the second prize a bronze medal, and for the third prize a diploma or certificate of merit. In those sections in which either the limited competition, or the quality of work makes the three awards unnecessary the Judges reserve a discretionary power.
Competition in the following sections, and in any branch of mechanical work not mentioned below, in which girls and women are employed.
Section A—Type-writing
Section B—Shorthand
Section C1—Straw and basket work, plaiting, basket-making
Section C2—Hat and bonnet making
Section C3—Cleaning straw hats and bonnets; Dyeing straw hats and bonnets
Section D—Paper bag making, specimens of various kinds and sizes
Section E—Paper box making, all varieties
Section F—Dressing and dyeing feathers
Section G—Spinning in wool, flax, or silk
Section H—Flower-making in paper, muslin, or feathers
Section I—Book sewing, embossing, &c.
Section J—Boot sewing, shoe binding, &c.
Section K—Toymaking
Section L—Tobacco stripping, folding, and packing
Section M—Glove-cleaning, kid and doe skin gloves
Section N—Stocking-making by machinery, in silk, wool, and thread
Section O—Hairdressing, three styles necessary for competition
Section P—Any industry not included.
The Committee have secured workers in the majority of the above sections, who will pursue their calling in the Exhibition, and desire to express their grateful thanks to the various tradesmen who have by their co-operation enabled to present such interesting portions of Women's Work to the public.
Foreign exhibits and rare specimens of work in any of the above sections will be gladly received for exhibition, NOT for competition.
Further details will be supplied on application to the Delegate or Hon. Secretaries of the Department, or at the office of the Exhibition,
4, Moore-street, Sydney.

Lectures.

BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION.
The following FREE LECTURES will be delivered this week, in the Technical Hall, Pitt-street, at 8 p.m.:—
TUESDAY.—"Bleaching," by Mr. H. P. White, F.C.S.
WEDNESDAY.—"Irrigation, as a Means of Improving our Agricultural Prospects" (Illustrated), Lecture III., by Mr. Angus Mackay, F.C.S., Instructor in Agriculture.
THURSDAY.—"Peaches, Nectarines, and Apricots," by Mr. D. A. Crichton.
EDWD. DOWLING, Secretary.

MAJOR DANE.—Last two Lectures, To-night and To-morrow Night, repeated by request. See amusements.

MISS VON FINKELSTEIN'S Five Costume and Tableau LECTURES, commencing NEXT MONDAY. See Amusements.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
TENDERS will be received at this office up to 3 p.m. on TUESDAY, 7th August next, for undermentioned works:—
Construction of Lawson-street, 12 chains.
Construction of Virgil-street, 7 chains.
Construction of Hall-street, 20 chains.
Plans and specifications may be inspected during office hours on application.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
ROBERT T. ORR, Council Clerk.
Borough Council-chambers, Waverley, July 28, 1888.

BROKEN HILL MEDICAL AND ACCIDENT FUND.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned till NOON on FRIDAY, the 3rd of August, for a Legally Qualified Medical Man for the above Fund, comprising 1500 men, more or less, at per head per week; also price for married men and families, and include drugs, &c. W. J. FERGUSON, Hon. Secretary, Block 14, Broken Hill, N.S.W.

COSGROVE'S BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are invited and will be received up to noon of MONDAY, 30th July, for the Construction and delivery, f.o.b. Sydney, of a Cornish Pump.
Specifications may be seen at the office of the Company, 29, O'Connell-street, Sydney.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN J. WESTON, Manager.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION COMMITTEE.
TENDERS will be received until THURSDAY, August 2, at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, for supplying 30 Calico Signs, 12ft. x 4ft. (exclusive of frames), containing about 160 letters.
BERNARD GOODE, General Secretary.

(88-58) Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, July 28, 1888.
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.
EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RECEPTION OF TENDERS.
TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 14th day of August, for the performance of the undermentioned works:—
1. Erection of new Wharf, foot of King-street
2. Wood-paving Castlereagh-street, from Hunter-street to Liverpool-street.
3. Top Dressing George-street, from King-street to Hunter-street.
Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of the City Surveyor.
HENRY J. DANIELS, Town Clerk.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT.
LAYING DRAIN PIPES.
TENDERS will be received up till 4 p.m. on THURSDAY, 2nd August, for Laying Earthenware Drain Pipes in the following streets:—
Annandale-street, Wells-street, Norton-street, and Norton-street to Balmain-road.
Specifications and particulars obtained at this office.
ALLAN M'GUIRE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Leichhardt, 28th July, 1888.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF LEICHHARDT.
TENDERS FOR VENETIAN BLINDS.
TENDERS will be received up to 4 o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, the 2nd August, for the supply of Venetian Blinds for the new Town Hall.
Specifications and other particulars may be had from the Clerk of Works at the Town Hall Building.
Tenders to be addressed to the Mayor, and marked, "Tender for Venetian Blinds."
ALLAN M'GUIRE, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Leichhardt, July 28, 1888.

MOUNT COSTIGAN LEAD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are invited for the Sinking of a main Shaft on the above Company's Mine to a depth of 100ft. Size of shaft to be 11ft. 6in. x 4ft.
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to August 3rd.
(Signed) A. A. GALLAGHER, Manager, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SILVERTON TRAMWAY COMPANY, Limited.
TENDERS are invited for the Right of Advertising at the Company's Stations, Broken Hill and Silverton.
Particulars can be obtained from the Traffic Manager, at Broken Hill; or from the Secretary, 112, Collins-street, West Melbourne.
Tenders, addressed to the Secretary, to be sent in not later than THURSDAY, August 16.
W. MACNICOL, Secretary.
112, Collins-street West, Melbourne, July 26, 1888.

TO STEAM SHIPPING COMPANIES AND OTHERS.
MUNICIPAL WHARVES, SOUTH BRISBANE.
TENDERS will be received until noon of FRIDAY, the 31st day of August, 1888, for the Lease of the Musgrave Wharf and Sheds.
This Wharf is 528ft. in length, and situated in the centre of the city, and well adapted for large vessels.
Full particulars at the Town Clerk's Office, Sydney.
WM. STEPHENS, Mayor.
South Brisbane, 31st May, 1888.

TO BUILDERS.
…DERS are hereby invited for Alterations and Additions … seen at the offices of the un… … delivered at noon on …

GROTH, … have on Sale … WALL PAPER, ENAMEL PAINTS, PUTTY and OILS, BRUSHWARE … SHE… DADOS, …-street.

IRONBARK GIRDERS, all lengths and sizes S. Turpentine and other PILES, up to 70 feet. Best Northern Hardwood Palings, split and sawn Laths, Pickets, Shingles, on hand and to order; lowest rates. E. DAVIES, Contractor, Kethel's Wharf, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, cheap, quantity of WOOD, 3in. square, various lengths. Apply ship Ralston, Smith's Wf., Miller's Pt.

VICTORIA SAW AND JOINERY MILLS, HARRIS-STREET, PYRMONT. Foreign and Colonial Timber, Doors, Sashes, Moulding, &c. GOODLET and SMITH, 493, George-st., near Bathurst-st.

…E Flowers, Trusses, Enrichments, &c., new largest and best selec. G. T. Cross, 5, Bond-street.

…GLAND £100 HANDICAP.—Final, THIS …ERNOON. Special Train, 5 to 2 (1.55).

TENDERS wan… Erection and Com… Cumberland-street, Mille… and specifications and full … Vickery's-buildings, Pitt-str…

Miscellaneous.

BLUE METAL (all gauges), and … 31, Cowper Wharf, Woolloomooloo.

…LOCK, quite new, for SALE, …gong, chimes the Westminster and …arters. Mr. BOURKE, Jeweller, …tre Royal.

TO BU… TENDERS are invited up to the … and completion of a House, stone, on … Estate, Birkenhead. Plans and specific… my office, 171, York-street. A. THORN…

… men and boys; Oilskin …rappers, Waterproof Covers …heap. Goldstein, Govern… …, Lower George-street.

TENDERS invited to SATURD… Erection of House, Brighton-street, … Station. Plans and specifications, and full … Architect's offices, 72, Pitt-street.

FERDINA… Tarpaulins (plain or … …vas Cots, Water-bags, …Twine, &c. GOLD… …r George-street.

TENDERS wanted for Erecting two … street, Balmain. Plans and specification w… S. E. SQUIRE, …
Tenders close August 8th.

TENDERS are invited for Interior Fittings … Church, Church-street, Camperdown. Plans and … tions at Mr. J. Mason's, 46, Wilson-street, Newtown, tenders are to be sent on or before TUESDAY, August 7 …

TENDERS wanted for Painting and Signwriting … job. Swinnerton and Frew, Parramatta-road, Leichhardt.

TENDERS for Brickwork, labour only. Waterloo … Hall, from 9 to 11 a.m., Monday morning. R. Gray.

TENDERS wanted for Carpenters' Work, 3 House… labour only. A. Maver, 6, Rose-street, Darlington.

TENDERS wanted for Painting 4 shops. Apply between 11 and 1 o'clock, 361, Oxford-street, Paddington.

TENDERS for Plastering large Villa. Apply on job, Peakville-street, Bondi.

TENDERS Taking Down and Erecting W.B. Cottage. Apply 395, Cleveland-street.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering House. Apply J. Gosbell, Glen-street, off Goodhope-street, Paddington.

TENDERS, small job, Brickwork; also, Man to take out foundation. Rodgers's Hotel, Newtown station.

TENDERS wanted for Graining, maple and oak. Apply George Hayman, new building, Gower-street, Summer Hill.

WANTED, TENDER for Laying Tiling for veranda. Thos. Evans, building, Tentern-road, Summer Hill.

DRAIN PIPES, all sizes; Junctions, Bends, &c., SALE. Hart and Gallagher, Petersham.

DRAIN PIPES, Garden Tiles, &c., cheap. Conlon's Pottery, Broughton-street, Glebe.

BLUE METAL, all gauges, SCREEN… GRAVEL, and RIVER SAND, at lowest prices. Gravel and Road Metal Company, Limited, Norwich-… Hunter-street.

ARCHITECT'S Assistant, first-class, wants … £1 week. Address Hard Up, Newtown P. O.

QUANTITIES for Mulwala Bridge, over the … &c. Ernest A. Bonney, 39, Castlereagh-street.

THE Buffalo Asphalt Co. lay, at reduced rates, Lycett, and Val-de-Travers Asphalts. Office: 36, …

Religious Announcements.

THE Rev. GEORGE MULLER, of Bristol, TO-NIGHT in the Burton-street Tabernacle, Woolloomooloo. Service commences at half-past 7 promptly.

MIDDAY Prayer MEETING, at Temperance … o'clock. Conductor, Rev. J. M'Neill.

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Imitation Seal Rugs, 9s 6d, 11s 6d, 15s, 22s 6d.
Wool Rugs, 8s 6d, 11s, 14s.
New Zealand Wool Rugs, 14s 6d, 17s 6d, 25s, 31s, 37s 6d.
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CONTINUATION OF THE GREAT SALE THIS WEEK.
GREATER BARGAINS THAN EVER.
SHEETINGS, SHEETINGS, AT SALE PRICES.
HEAVY WHITE WASHED COTTON SHEETINGS, free from dress.
72 inches wide at 11½d yard, worth 1s 4½d
80 inches wide at 1s 2d yard, worth 1s 9d
90 inches wide at 1s 4½d yard, worth 2s.
Country Residents can write with confidence for any of the above lines.
LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING AT SALE PRICES.
200 dozen Ladies' Drawers. Trimmed work, lock stitch, good calicoes, all at 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d, 1s 11d, and 2s 6d pair.
300 dozen Ladies' Chemises. Trimmed work, lock stitch, good calicoes, all at 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, and 3s 11d.
250 dozen Ladies' Night Dresses. Trimmed work, beautifully made, good calicoes, all at 1s 11d, 2s 3d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, 3s 11d, and 4s 9d.
LADIES' MOB CAPS. LADIES' MOB CAPS.
1000 just Opened, all at Sale Prices, New and Fresh. 9½d, 10½d, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 9d, and 1s 11d.
BARGAINS, BARGAINS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION.
THIS WEEK, THIS WEEK, at E. WAY'S GREAT SALE. 213, 215, 217, and 219, Pitt-street.

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The VICTORIANS charge 25 per cent. more. They have to do it, as the Custom House makes them pay it.
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A MAGNIFICENT LOT OF NEW SPRING GOODS OPENED UP TO-DAY, And ON VIEW and FOR SALE At the establishment of Your humble servants, HORDERN BROTHERS, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, PITT-STREET. PITT-STREET.
No Shops whatever in George-street.

SUTHERLAND £100 HANDICAP.—Final, THIS AFTERNOON. Special Train, 5 to 2 (1.55).

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Amusements.

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Corner of Pitt and Market streets.

Sole Lessees ... ... Messrs. Rignold and Allison
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ABSOLUTELY NO FREE LIST.

Doors open 7, commence 7.30. Carriages 10.45.

FORTY-SEVENTH WEEK OF THE RIGNOLD SEASON
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TWENTY-SIXTH REPRESENTATION of
THE MOST STARTLING SUCCESS OF THE DAY.
LIGHTS O' LONDON
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LIGHTS O' The way was long and weary, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' But gallantly they strode, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' A country lad and lassie, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' Along the heavy road; LONDON.
LIGHTS O' The night was dark and stormy LONDON.
LIGHTS O' But blithe of heart were they, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' For shining in the distance, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' The lights o' London lay. LONDON.
LIGHTS O' Oh! gleaming lights o' London LONDON.
LIGHTS O' That gem the cities crown; LONDON.
LIGHTS O' What fortunes lie within you, LONDON.
LIGHTS O' Oh! lights o' London town. LONDON.

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Ballad—"Mill May" ... ... Mr. F. J. Spencer
Song and Dance—"Dandies, but no Dudes" Messrs. Craydon and Holland
Ballad—"He'll be Back Bye and Bye" (first appearance) ... ... Miss Amy Blackie
Comic—"I Couldn't" ... ... Mr. Alf. James
Ballad—"Southern Home" ... ... Mr. Alf. Santley
Comic—"Billy Upperdip" ... ... Mr. T. Delowery
Ballad—"Come Buy my Flowers" ... Miss Florence Schuler

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THE COONS' SALVATION ARMY.

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The Australian Team, DELOWERY, CRAYDON, and HOLLAND, as THE FAT BOYS.
ALF JAMES, in his Specialties.
The COTTIERS (Walter and Harry), as the TWO SARAHS.
Miss LEVYNE, in her neat song and dance, entitled GOING TO BE MARRIED NEXT SUNDAY.
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GEORGE KLEES, N.G.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JAMES WARING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Margaret; to move from his residence, 1, Wilson-street, Golden Grove, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis. JOSEPH MEDCALF, Jun., Undertaker, Regent-st., Redfern.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. JOSEPH, THOMAS, and RICHARD WARING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 1, Wilson-street, Golden Grove, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis. Joseph Medcalf, jun., und'rt'ker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. RICHARD WARING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Margaret; to move from her late residence, 1, Wilson-street, Golden Grove, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis. Joseph Medcalf, jun., und'rt'ker.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM SIDNEY BRIANT are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 42, Ross-street, Forest Lodge.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. RICHARD BRIANT, Senior, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SON, William Sidney; to move from his residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40 and 169, Riley-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. RICHARD BRIANT, Jun., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved BROTHER, William Sidney; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, 40 and 169, Riley-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS MORGAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SON-IN-LAW, William Sidney Briant; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40 and 169, Riley-street.

THE FRIENDS of EDWIN, HUGH, and ALBERT MORGAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER-IN-LAW, William Sidney Briant; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of H. A. BRIGG, and W. TIPPING are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved NEPHEW, William Sidney Briant; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 42, Ross-street, Forest Lodge.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN WALTON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved COUSIN, William Sidney Briant; to move from his father's residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40 and 169, Riley-st., and Forest Lodge.

P. A. F. S. OF A.—The Officers and Brethren of the Boyne Lodge, also Brethren of other Lodges of the Order, are respectfully invited to attend the FUNERAL of our late departed Brother, WILLIAM S. BRIANT; to move from his late residence, 99, Glebe Point-road, next SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery.
JAMES VENESS, W.M.
GEO. H. WILLIAMS, Hon. Sec.

NO. 9, DARLINGTON L. O. L.—The Officers and Brethren of the above Lodge, together with the Officers and Brethren of the various Lodges in the district, are invited to attend the Funeral of their late Brother, WILLIAM S. BRIANT; to move from his late residence, 99, Glebe-rd., TO MORROW (Sunday), 2 p.m., to Waverley Cemetery. T. A. CARTLEDGE, Sec.

THE MEMBERS of Boyne Lodge No. 8, Protestant Alliance F. S. of A., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, WILLIAM S. BRIANT; to move from his late residence, 101, Glebe-road, Glebe, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 2, for Waverley Cemetery. JAMES VENESS, W.M.; JOHN H. CREWES, W.T.

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in aid of the Workers' Sick Fund,
THIS (MONDAY) EVENING, at 8 p.m.
The Hon. Sir ALFRED STEPHEN, G.C.M.G., C.B., &c., President, will preside.
Admission by ticket, to be obtained on application.
Collection for the benefit of the Fund.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In consequence of the continued dry weather, the CAMELLIA EXHIBITION is POSTPONED until further notice.
R. REILLY, Secretary.

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An efficient St... at 8 p.m.:—
...uing," by Mr. H. P. White, F.C.S.
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...RSDAY.—"Peaches, Nectarines, and Apricots," by Mr. D. A. Crichton.
EDWD. DOWLING, Secretary.

ATHEISM, PANTHEISM, and THEISM.—
A Personal God an impossibility.
W. W. COLLINS, TO-MORROW EVENING, at 7.30.
A. S. Association's Rooms, Hunter and Castlereagh streets.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION of NEW SOUTH WALES.
LECTURE in the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, on WEDNESDAY, August 8, by the Rev. J. W. INGLIS. Subject "John Knox, the Scottish Reformer." A. J. S. GILC...
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A LECTURE (illustrated by numerous lantern v... delivered by Mr. D. T. WILEY, THIS EVENING...AND, "With the Ice King." CHAS. AUSTIN.
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NOTICE TO ...S DAY. THIS DAY.
Also
Notice is hereby given th...RROW, TUESDAY, 31st JULY.
paid AT ONCE, otherwise ...N BRITISH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.
recovery of same. Also ...
By orde... ...W SOUTH WALES v. VICTORIA
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...D INTERCOLONIAL FOOTBALL MATCH.
Council Clerk's Off...
Town Ha... ...ES open at 2 p.m. GAME commences at 3 p.m.
27th ...SION to Ground, 1s; Grand Stand, 1s 6d extra; children,
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By order of the Trustees.
NOTICE is ... S. H. FAIRLAND,
held at the Pol... Secretary A. C. Ground.
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year 1888-89...
NEXT WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st.
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Court. GRAND RUGBY FOOTBALL MATCH.
NEWCASTLE versus ARFOMA TEAM.
Coun... NEWCASTLE versus ARFOMA TEAM.
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Town Hall, Mar... ...AND INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL MATCH.
20th July, 1888.
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(last of the first season)
at West's Academy, Castlereagh-street,
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1,
at 8.

Subscribers only can purchase tickets. Ladies', 2s 6d each; gentlemen's (visitors), 5s each; at Schott and Co.'s, 281, George-street.

Intending subscribers are requested to send in their names at once, as the list for the new season is filling rapidly.

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CHANGE of PROGRAMME.
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CARNIVAL.

The Second Grand Fancy Burlesque and National Costume Carnival will take place at this Rink on TUESDAY EVENING, August 7th. The grand success of our past Carnivals is a sufficient guarantee to the public that this Carnival will eclipse any other Carnival yet produced by others in the colonies. The Elite Rink is the largest and most suitable Rink in Australia to hold a Grand Skating Carnival, being nearly double the width of any other rink in the colonies. No Carnivals yet produced by others can be compared with any of our past Carnivals, our Juvenile Carnival even surpassing any other Carnival yet produced. We are the originators of all the successful Carnivals yet produced in the Australian colonies. Others copy us, but they do not have the facilities to carry out our ideas.

OUR CARNIVAL WILL BE KEPT SELECT.
All skaters will have to apply personally to the Manager for an invitation. No persons will be allowed to skate unless they have registered their name and name of costume and receive an invitation from the Management, as only a limited number will be allowed to skate.
We request our patrons to apply early for invitations. All costumes will be subject to the approval of the Management before appearing on the floor.
A Grand Supper will be served to the skaters directly after the Grand March.
The Management propose introducing in this Carnival several novelties which have not yet been introduced before the skating public of Australia.

SEE NEXT SATURDAY'S PAPERS FOR PARTICULARS.

ROLLER SKATES
just arrived by the Mariposa from America.
A large shipment of the World-renowned WINSLOW VINEYARD SKATES for sale, in small or large quantities.
We will also have a large supply of all kinds of Skates in a short time.
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THIS EVENING, July 30,
GRAND POLO MATCH,
City Rink v. St. George's Hall,
for handsome Silver ... ... Cutter and Fitter ... MONDAY next, 30th July, at the above ... Pupils will be received for instruction in dressmaking.

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Mr. OHMY on INVISIBLE WIRE, TO-NIGHT.

OUR NAME AND POSITION.—PRELIMINARY.
Ye people ponder on the mighty wonder
Called into existence on "Paling's Land!"
Where the Elite Palace, scorning envy's malice,
In proud pre-eminence doth nobly stand.
(These words combining in our name, and rhyming,
Are best unswerved, though divorced by fools!
For there's no mistaking the sense we're making
The elite for the Palace by their golden rules.)
Where is this wonder! Ah, ladies, yonder;
In close proximity to the grand abode—
The home of culture, whence her sons this structure
Behold with rapture on the Newtown-road.
Here iron ceiling won't freeze your feeling,
Nor mar the vision, as elsewhere, we think;
But—best proclaim it! None dare gainsay it!
'Tis the princely Palace and real Elite Rink!
Pronounced by sages with the crown of ages,
Venerably pated by the hand of Time,
As the grand position, and their wise decision
We boldly endorse in prophetic line!
Let fools be fretful, wise men regretful,
Who built their rinks mid the dens of crime;
When all are failing will be no wailing
For the Elite Palace on her site sublime!
UNIVERSITY ELITE PALACE RINK.
Note.—Grand OPENING FESTIVITY EARLY in AUGUST.

CARRINGTON ATHLETIC GROUND.
TO-NIGHT, FINAL. | TO-NIGHT, FINAL.
GRAND
MIDWINTER HANDICAP
of £165.
THE PICK OF THE HANDICAP
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BEST ATHLETES IN AUSTRALIA
STRUGGLE for SUPREMACY
TO-NIGHT.
Samuels, Connors, Bushell, Donovan, Church, Wilkinson, Kennedy, Liddle, Cassimer, and other high class Professionals compete
TO-NIGHT.
DON'T FORGET,
This is the Last Night of the Handicap.
The public are cautioned against speculating with Unregistered Bookmakers.
ALL REGISTERED MEN MUST WEAR THEIR BADGES.
By kind permission of his Worship the Mayor of Sydney, the Carrington Grounds upon this occasion will be illuminated by the LUCEIEN LIGHT, when the public will have an opportunity of witnessing the effect of the light, and its adaptability for lighting parks, as proposed by John Harris, Esq., Mayor, at whose instance the light has been introduced in this city.
Gates open at 7 o'clock.
First heat starts at 8 o'clock.
Admission to the Ground, 1s.
To Grand-stand and Covered Terraces, 2s 6d, with programme.
G. N. WARN, Secretary.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB.
SETTLING over late Rosehill Race Meeting, THIS DAY, Monday, 30th July.
JAMES PERRY, Secretary.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC
Lessee and Manager ... ... F. E. Hiscocks
General Manager ... ... Harry Friedman
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TO-NIGHT. GIGANTIC NEW PROGRAMME, TO-NIGHT.
3rd WEEK | and | 3rd WEEK
still pursuing its prosperous path.
The public cheerfully come up smiling, and at every performance PACK THE HALL TO THE ROOF
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ARTHUR SULLIVAN,
his first appearance in Minstrelsy here.
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CANTERBURY PARK.
CANTERBURY PARK.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st, 1888.
1. THE HURDLE RACE, to start at 1 p.m.
LUNCHEON.
2. THE FLYING HANDICAP, to start at 2 p.m.
3. THE PARK STAKES, to start at 2.40 p.m.
4. THE BANK HANDICAP, to start at 3.20 p.m.
5. THE DISPOSAL STAKES, to start at 3.55 p.m.
6. THE STEWARDS' MILE, to start at 4.30 p.m.

Professional trainers and jockeys can obtain paddock tickets by applying personally at the offices of the club before 4 p.m., TUESDAY, July 31st.
Special trains will leave Redfern for Ashfield station at 11.50 a.m. and 12.20 p.m., returning immediately after the races.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
Conditions of Admission.
Any person carrying on the vocation of a Bookmaker on any portion of the Canterbury Park Racecourse (excepting those registered by the proprietors, and in such places as they may direct) will be at once expelled from the ground, and his admission fee forfeited.
No person will be allowed to loiter on the course proper at any time.
No cabs or other licensed vehicles will be allowed to cross the course on any pretext whatever.
All cabs must be stationed in the places allotted to them, and the horses tied up in the horse paddock.
Any horses found loose will be impounded.
GEO. W. S. ROWE, Secretary.
8, Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.

CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.
NOTICE to BOOKMAKERS.
The Annual Subscription of £8 8s for Registration as a Bookmaker in the Saddling Paddock of the Canterbury Park Racecourse for year ending 30th June, 1889, is now due.
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Badges for the year can be obtained by applying to the undersigned, at No. 8, Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.
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NOTICE TO BOOKMAKERS.
Those desirous of plying the vocation of Bookmakers in the St. Leger Reserve at the Canterbury Park Racecourse must make application in writing to the undersigned before 4 p.m., MONDAY, July 30.
Satisfactory references and testimonials must accompany each application.
Licenses for the remainder of the current year—fee for that term being £2 2s, payable in advance—will be issued to those approved of on TUESDAY, July 31, up to 4 p.m.
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COMEDIE FRANCAISE, PARIS,
to
CHARLES WARNER.

Sir,—I have hesitated several days before writing to you, as I think it looks conceited for one artist to write to another when he approves of him.
Such approbation as this suggests that the writer thinks a good deal of himself.
I can assure you that this is not so in the present case, and I feel I must write and tell you what I think.
I have seen your performance in "Drink," and I cannot congratulate you too highly on your acting.
In the first part you are young, natural, simple, loval, frank, and gay, and so infectious and expansive in your jollity that Ialmost doubted whether you could have any dramatic power in you. In the scene with the child you are full of tenderness and feeling, and I can easily believe Mr. Charles Reade when he told me that you were once as much affected by emotion as if you had been the child itself.
I was charmed with all this sincere acting, but then came your last act, which gave me so high an opinion of yourself, your power, and your value.
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YOU ARE A GREAT ARTIST, sir, and you have given me intense pleasure, for which I cannot sufficiently thank you, and I beg you to receive the assurance of my most profound and sincere admiration.
Yours, &c., C. COQUELIN.

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Government Notices.

SLEEPING CARS ON WESTERN LINE.
NOTICE is hereby given that SLEEPING CARS will ... attached to the Down Western Mail Trains leaving Sydney ... Monday and Tuesday, the 30th and 31st July; ... Up Mail Trains leaving Bourke and Dubbo on Monday, ... and Wednesday 30th, 31st July, and 1st August, 1888.
(Signed) CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works,
Railway Branch, Sydney,
25th July, 1888.

Department of Railways,
Sydney, July 28th, 1888.
CANTERBURY PARK RACES.
WEDNESDAY, 1st AUGUST, 1888.
On the above date Special Trains will leave Sydney for the field at 12.20 p.m., returning after the Races.
The 5 p.m. Western and 5.17 p.m. Southern Passenger Trains will stop at Ashfield to pick up passengers if required.
CH. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Prisons, N. S. W.,
Comptroller General's Office, Sydney,
28th July, 1888.
TENDERS are invited up to the 30th instant for the Removal of Refuse Food from Darlinghurst Gaol, for a period of 12 months from the 1st August next.
All information as to quantity, &c., can be obtained at the Gaol. Tenders to be addressed to this office, marked "Tender for Refuse Food."
HAROLD MACLEAN, Comptroller-General.

Public Notices.

IN THE A...IGNED ESTATE of ANDREW HARDIE M'CULLOCH, Jun., of Pitt-street, Sydney.
NOTICE is hereby given that all DEBTS due to this Estate must be paid without delay to AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Esq., Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street, Sydney, whose receipt will be a sufficient discharge.
W. H. PALING
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THE MUTUAL PROVIDENT LAND, INVESTING, and BUILDING SOCIETY, Limited, 95, Market-street.
A DIVIDEND, at the rate of EIGHT per cent. per annum on the paid-up shares, will be payable at the office of the Society on and after FRIDAY, August 3.
E. W. FOXALL, Manager.
July 28, 1888.

ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of 12½ per centum per annum, and a BONUS of 2½ per centum per annum (... per centum per annum), has been declared on the paid-up capital of the above Company for the half year ended June 30, 1888, and is now payable to shareholders at the Company's offices, ... Hunter-street, Sydney.
BENJAMIN JAMES, Manager.

CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the SCRIP for the new issue of shares is now READY for delivery.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, July 27, 1888.

THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Limited, 184, Pitt-street, Sydney.
The STORES of the above Society will be CLOSED TO-MORROW, Tuesday, the 31st July, 1888, for the usual half-yearly stocktaking.
By order of the Board.
M. A. FELTON, Secretary.
Sydney, July 30, 1888.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANKING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE.
The PUBLIC generally are CAUTIONED in Purchasing certain Shares in the Australian Banking Company, Limited, numbering from 1 to 10,000 (the same being in dispute), pending a special meeting of Shareholders as to the legality of said shares, except such shares forming part of such 10,000 as have already been dealt with on transfer by the bank.
By order of the Board.
RODERICK MACNAMARA, Acting Manager.
Sydney, July 27, 1888.

STARKEY and TAYLOR,
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS,
Sydney.
Arbitrations and Assignments Undertaken,
Empire-chambers,
115, York-street.

NOTICE.—If EDWIN MOSSMAN does not finish the painting, according to agreement, by 1st August, I will have it done at his risk and expense. A. M'BRIDE, 57, St. John's road, Forest Lodge.

WE hereby give NOTICE that, if A. MOIR does not return by MONDAY, the 30th instant, to finish his contract of stairs at Woollahra, we will finish the same at his expense. BROWN and TAPSON, Builders.

TO BUILDERS.—All overdue ACCOUNTS remaining unpaid by the 15th of AUGUST will be placed in the hands of our solicitor for recovery. AUCKLAND TIMBER COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE.—Any person harbouring one BERTIE SKINNER will be prosecuted. Signed, Arthur Skinner.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.
NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.
Shareholders are hereby informed that an Interim DIVIDEND to July 31 will be PAYABLE at this office on and after THURSDAY NEXT, August 2.
S. H. LEWIS, Manager.
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Books, Publications, &c.

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Gray's Elegy (Clarendon Press edition), price 2d
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Villemain's Lascaris (Pitt Press series), 2s
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Meetings.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The General Monthly MEETING of the Members of the Royal Society of New South Wales will be held at the Society's House, Elizabeth-street North, on WEDNESDAY, August 1, at 7.30 p.m. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.

General Business.
Ballot for New Members.
Paper to be read:—
"On an Autographic Test-Recording Apparatus," by Professor Warren, M. Inst. C.E.

A. LIVERSIDGE, F. B. KYNGDON } Hon. Secs.

RE FRANCIS TAIT, DECEASED.
NOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING of the CREDITORS in the above estate will be held at our offices, on THURSDAY, the 2nd AUGUST next, at 2.30 p.m., to receive the accountant's report.
WANT, JOHNSON, and CO., Solicitors to the Estate.

AMALGAMATED Journeymen Tailors' Association.—The Fortnightly MEETING of the above will be held at Murphy's Albion Hotel, THIS (Monday) EVENING, July 30, at 8 o'clock. M. WOOLF, Secretary.

REDFERN PROTECTION UNION.—Monthly MEETING TO-MORROW NIGHT, Town Hall, Redfern.

NO. 146 Elijah R. B. P. meets To-night, Protestant Hall, 7.45. Full attendance requested; visitors invited.

TWELFTH JULY CELEBRATION.—Final Committee MEETING TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 7.30.
A. J. S. GILCHRIST, J. W. ROBSON } Hon. Secs.

SYDNEY STOCK EXCHANGE.—There will be no Meeting of members after the 31st instant until MONDAY, the 6th proximo.
LEWIS P. BAIN, Hon. Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES MONT DE PIETE DEPOSIT AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, Limited, 100, 102, 104, and 106, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

GENERAL MEETING.

A General MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on TUESDAY, the 31st instant, on the Company's Premises, as above, at 12 noon.
By order of the Board of Directors.
LEWIS LEVY, General Manager.

Dated 17th July, 1888.

BUSINESS:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet.
To elect two Directors in the room of Samuel Payten, Esq., and Alfred Bennett, Esq., who retire by effluxion of time; both are eligible for re-election, and have offered themselves accordingly.
To elect two Auditors for the current year; J. H. Davies, Esq., J.P., and Melbourne Green, Esq. (the present Auditors) retire by effluxion of time, but are eligible, and have offered themselves for re-election.
To transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

Candidates for the office of Directors are required by clause 64 of the Deed of Settlement to give notice thereof in writing seven clear days before the day of meeting.

SYDNEY MEAT PRESERVING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-fifth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Head Offices, United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of August next, at noon.
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to the 30th June last; to elect two Directors, in the room of the Hon. J. B. Rundle, M.L.C. and C. H. Humphrey, Esq., who retire in accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Settlement, and are eligible for re-election; to appoint an Auditor, in the room of Lewis P. Bain, Esq., who retires by rotation, and is not eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.

United-chambers, George and Hunter streets, Sydney, 2nd July, 1888.

Candidates for the Office of Director must give notice in writing of their candidature at least fourteen days prior to date of meeting.

The Hon. J. B. RUNDLE, M.L.C., and C. H. HUMPHREY, Esq., duly qualified shareholders, have given the requisite notices that they are Candidates for election as Directors; and JOHN WILLIAMS, Esq., has given notice that he is a Candidate for the Auditorship.

THE CASTLEMAINE BREWING, MALTING, and WINE and SPIRIT COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, at 3 p.m., on MONDAY, 30th instant.

Business:
1. To confirm Interim Dividend, declared payable on 23rd January, 1888.
2. To receive the Report of the Directors and the Balance-sheet for the year ending 30th June, 1888.
3. To elect one Director in the room of James Scroggie, Esq., who retires in accordance with clause 75 of the Articles of Association, but who is eligible for re-election.
4. To elect two Auditors in the room of Messrs. G. Durham and Frank Lecar Bolger, both of whom are eligible for re-election.
5. And to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the Articles of Association.

By order of the Board.
THOMAS MAGNEY, Secretary.

JAMES SCROGGIE, Esq., has given the requisite notice that he is a Candidate for the vacant position of Director.

AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of this Company will be held at the Company's Office, Kent-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 30th July instant, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to Receive the Report of the Directors for the past half-year, to Elect Directors, to Appoint Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with rule.
Candidates for the direction are to give not less than seven days' notice in writing to the Secretary.
Eleven of the retiring Directors, viz., William Barnard Walford, Esq.; Samuel Dickinson, Esq.; George Judah Cohen, Esq.; Charles Henry Myles, Esq.; Peter Reid, Esq.; James Norton, Esq.; William Cornelius Goddard, Esq.; Michael Metcalfe, Esq.; James Scroggie, Esq.; James Thompson Wilshire, Esq.; and Joseph Henry Storey, Esq., have given the requisite notice that they are Candidates for re-election, for which they are eligible under the Act.
By order of the Board.
W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, 2nd July, 1888.

AUSTRALIAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.
The Retiring Directors—William Barnard Walford, Esq., Samuel Dickinson, Esq., George Judah Cohen, Esq., Charles Henry Myles, Esq., Peter Reid, Esq., James Norton, Esq., William Cornelius Goddard, Esq., Michael Metcalfe, Esq., James Scroggie, Esq., James Thompson Wilshire, Esq., Joseph Henry Storey, Esq.—and also the following duly qualified Shareholder, viz., John Rae, Esq., have given the requisite notice that they are CANDIDATES for the DIRECTION at the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, to be held on MONDAY, the 30th instant, at 2.30 p.m.
Joseph Palmer and Robert Campbell Close, Esquires, the present Auditors, and also Thomas Pratt, Esq., have given notice that they are Candidates for the Auditorship.
W. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Company's Office, Sydney, 23rd July, 1888.

TARANGANBA PROPRIETARY GOLD COMPANY, Limited.

Notice is hereby given that the SECOND HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on MONDAY, July 30th instant, at the company's office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive directors' report and balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30th last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

Sydney, July 16, 1888.

SILVER PRINCE SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Adjourned Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2.30 p.m. on FRIDAY, August 3 next, at the Company's Office, 131, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended June 30 last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.

Sydney, July 27, 1888.

WEBB'S SOUTH SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General MEETING of Shareholders herein (convened four months after the formation of the Company, in compliance with clause 70 of the Companies' Act), will be held on MONDAY, 30th instant, at 3 p.m., at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive the Directors' Progress Report and Balance-sheet to June 30, 1888.
By order of the Board.
(Signed) G. S. BUZACOTT, Legal Manager.

THE BACK CREEK SILVER AND GOLD MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General MEETING of Shareholders herein (convened four months after the formation of the Company, in compliance with clause 70 of the Companies Act) will be held on MONDAY, 30th instant, at 4.30 p.m., at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive the Directors' Progress Report and Balance-sheet to June 30, 1888.
By order of the Board.
(Signed) G. S. BUZACOTT, Legal Manager.

THE GREAT CENTRAL COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

The Annual General MEETING (being the thirteenth ordinary half-yearly Meeting) of Shareholders in the above-named Company, will be held at the Company's Office, Bond-street Chambers, Bond-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 30th day of August proximo, at 30 minutes after 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet; to elect three Directors in the places of THOMAS ALCOCK, Esq., E. BIDDULPH HENNING, Esq., and the Honorable EBENEZER VICKERY, M.L.C., who retire by effluxion of time, and are eligible for re-election; also to elect two Auditors in the place of Messrs. R. H. CHAPMAN and J. B. WATERHOUSE, who are likewise eligible for re-election.
Intending Candidates for election to the seats on the board about to become vacant, are reminded that notice of candidature must be lodged in writing, at the Company's Office, at least seven days before the day of Meeting.
By order of the Board,
S. MACDONNELL, Secretary.

Sydney, 28th July, 1888.

AMEETING of Consignees of Cargo ex American steamship Mariposa will be held at the United States Consulate, Beresford-chambers, 52, Castlereagh-street, on MONDAY, the 30th instant, at noon, to consider what steps shall be taken to secure the Landing of Goods and Merchandise from the said vessel, and other matters appertaining to the detention of the ship.
G. W. GRIFFIN, U. S. Consul.

Public Companies.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS of the COOKSVALE COSTIGAN SILVER-MINING COMPANY.

TUENA, NEW SOUTH WALES.

To be Registered as a No-Liability Company.

Attention is directed to clause 7 of the No Liability Act (under which this company will be registered) which states that "Shareholders are not liable to Calls or Contributions."

CAPITAL:
£60,000, IN 60,000 SHARES OF 20s. EACH.

Of which, 30,000 Shares fully paid up to Twenty Shillings are retained by the promoters as part payment for the property.
17,500 Shares paid up to Ten Shillings are reserved for future issue at such time as the directors may determine.
12,500 Shares paid up to Ten Shillings are now offered to the public on the following easy terms, viz.:—One Shilling per Share on application, One Shilling per Share on allotment, the balance of Eight Shillings per Share to be payable if required in calls not exceeding Sixpence per Share per month. Shares will be allotted, as far as possible, in order of application.

The whole of the application and allotment money will be placed to the credit of the company, less the usual charges for printing, &c., and the sum of £1000 to be retained by the promoters as part payment for the property and expenses already incurred.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS.
David Wilson, Esq. (Messrs. Mason Bros., Limited), Sydney
J. F. Carson, Esq., Sydney
W. Carrington, Esq., Asc. M. Inst., C.E., Manly
J. J. Costigan, Esq., Grazier, Cooksvale
Albert Elkington, Esq. (Messrs. Fraser and Co.), Sydney.

BROKERS.
Sydney.—Oliver Trickett, 15, Post Office-chambers, Pitt-street
Melbourne.—E. R. Cropper, 32, Collins-street West.

This Company is projected for the purpose of acquiring and working the silver ore deposits on two blocks of 40 acres each, and two blocks of 20 acres each, now applied for in the parish of Tuena, county of Georgeiana, forming an approximate area of 120 acres. From the report of Dr. Robertson, M.E.F.G.S., &c., one of the highest authorities on mining in the colony, it will be seen that the Company will become possessed of a magnificent property on the Cook's Vale Creek, north of the Cordillera Mine and southerly of the Mount Costigan Mine.
For full reports from Dr. Robertson and others see Saturday's papers; or apply to the Sydney broker.
The greater part of the shares offered to the public have already been applied for.
The List will Close on Tuesday, the 31st July.

FEDERAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, Limited.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS.

Subscribed Capital	£800,000
Paid-up Capital	£400,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits	£96,584

DEPOSITS RECEIVED on INTEREST at CURRENT RATES, for 3, 6, and 12 Months.

All usual Banking Business transacted.

EBENEZER MACDONALD, Manager.

THE SYDNEY DEPOSIT AND DISCOUNT BANK.

BEAUMONT-CHAMBERS, 90, KING-STREET.

AGENCIES IN LONDON AND THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA.

The following are the rates of interest allowed for FIXED DEPOSITS:—

3 years	9½ per cent.
12 months	8½ per cent.
6 months	7½ per cent.
3 months	5½ per cent.

Overdrafts granted against Deposit of Deeds, and all usual Banking Business transacted.
Communications from the country, addressed to the General Manager, will be promptly attended to.
H. LIKELY, Secretary.

SYDNEY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Limited.

Capital, £250,000. Subscribed, £100,000.

ROBERT BUTCHER, Esq., J.P., Chairman.

POLICY HOLDERS participate in profits.
DAMAGE by LIGHTNING and GAS EXPLOSION COVERED.
Fire risks taken at lowest current rates.
78, Elizabeth-street.
E. J. RUBIE, Managing Director.

PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited.

Capital ... ... £1,000,000.

DIRECTORS:
JAMES R. FAIRFAX, Esq., Chairman.
HY. AUSTIN, Esq. | WALTER FRIEND, Esq.
R. JONES, Jun., Esq. | Hon. E. VICKERY, M.L.C.

JOHN R. STREET, M.L.A., Managing Director.

This Company is prepared to act as Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Attorney, Receiver, Assignee, &c., in the management, administration, and realisation of Estates, and to transact agency business coming within the scope of the Company's powers.

Offices: 105, Pitt-street, Sydney.

THE SYDNEY AGENCY AND FINANCE COMPANY, Limited.
Subscribed Capital ... ... £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
JOHN ARTHUR, Esq. (Cramsie, Arthur, and Co.)
JAMES BURNS, Esq. (Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited)
ALF. W. MEEKS, Esq. (Gibbs, Bright, and Co.)
GEO. J. SLY, Esq., LL.D., solicitor, York-street
WM. ED. WILSON, Esq. (R. Towns and Co.)
E. H. TAYLOR, Esq., Managing Director.

The Company Purchases, Sells, and Manages ESTATES and PROPERTIES.
PROMOTES COMPANIES.
DISCOUNTS and GUARANTEES BILLS,
and transacts every description of financial business.
115, YORK-STREET, SYDNEY.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

THE SYDNEY REAL ESTATE BANK, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£1,000,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	500,000.

OFFICES—108, PITT-STREET.

DIRECTORS:
J. W. CLIFF, Esq., Chairman
MAURICE ARON, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Wallach Bros.)
JOHN BEVERIDGE, Esq. (Messrs. Geo. Griffiths and Co.)
J. B. CHRISTIAN, Esq.
A. W. MEEKS, Esq.
J. Y. MILLS, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. Mills and Pile)
W. H. PALING, Esq., J.P. (Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co., Ltd.).

Real and leasehold estates purchased. Sale and purchase of properties negotiated. Financial business arising out of real estate and general banking business transacted. Agency and trustee matters undertaken.
LOUIS C. HENDERSON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALIAN MERCANTILE LOAN AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated under Companies Act, 1872.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

Sydney Office,
CORNER of MARKET and YORK STREETS, Sydney.

The Company grant immediate Advances upon Deeds of Land, Bills of Lading, Merchandise, Storage and Bond Certificates, Machinery, Cattle, Personal Guarantees, and all classes of mercantile or other approved Securities, for fixed terms or repayable by instalments, at very reasonable rates of interest.

BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

Interest allowed on Deposits:
3 Months, 5 per cent.
6 „ 6 „
12 „ 7 „
and a Bonus declared to depositors of 12 months 2 per cent.; 6 months, 1½ per cent.
Arrangements can be made to withdraw deposits at any time on demand.
By order of the Board of Directors.
RUSSELL MARSHALL, Manager.
A. MILLER, Accountant.

ELDERTON'S FINANCIAL AGENCY, 13, POMEROY-CHAMBERS, 89, CASTLEREAGH-ST., SYDNEY.

BUSINESS: To Lend MONEY upon Mortgage of freehold and leasehold Property in Sydney, suburbs, and the country, and upon Farms, Orchards, Hotels, C. P. Land, and Station Securities at 5 and 6 per cent.

BUILDING SOCIETIES.
Properties released and the amount owing by borrower paid to Society, and the same amount or more advanced for a fixed term of 3 or 5 years at 5 and 6 per cent interest, only payable q'rterly.
Advances made to Builders during construction of works.
Advances made upon all Mercantile Securities, Mining Scrip. Bills discounted and all financial business transacted. Advances under wills, and country business attended to.
H. C. ELDERTON.

TO BORROWERS.
FIFTY-THOUSAND POUNDS (£50,000) TO LEND.
Moderate Interest. Low scale of repayment.
THE HAYMARKET Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Co., Limited. J. W. DUESBURY, General Manager.

ADVANCES made on Deeds within 15 minutes after application (no mortgage costs), on Scrip, Certificates of Goods stored or in bond, and all other approved securities. Bills discounted daily.
Sydney Deposit and Discount Bank, Beaumont's-chambers, 90, King-street. H. LIKELY, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL OFFICE—42, Hunter-street.
MONEY advances made on Deeds of Freehold and Leasehold Properties (no mortgage fees), Stocks, Shares, Bonds, Life Policies, &c. Bills discounted, low rates. Advances repayable to suit convenience of borrower.

MERCANTILE Mutual Fire Insurance Company, Limited.—MONEY to LEND on mortgage of city or suburban properties. KELSO KING, Secretary, 120, Pitt-street.

SUTHERLAND £100 HANDICAP.—Final, THIS AFTERNOON. Special Train, 5 to 2 (1.55).

CITY AND COUNTY INVESTMENT, LAND AND BUILDING CO., Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL, £100,000.

DIRECTORS:
J. Garrard, M.L.A., Chairman.
Hon. J. H. Young, M.L.A. | A. Hutchison, M.L.A.
J. P. Walker | John C. Hamilton.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS at following rates:—
For 12 months, 6 per cent.
For 6 months, 5½ per cent.

Depositors for 12 months share in the profits of the Company.

SAVINGS BANK.
Interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum is allowed on money at call, withdrawable at any time without notice.

OFFICES:
327, PITT-STREET, one door from Bathurst-street.

Plans of Company's Estates, and all information from
J. D. WARD, Manager.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING AND LAND INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

POST-OFFICE-CHAMBERS, 114, PITT-STREET.

DIRECTORS:
W. S. Buzacott, Esq., J.P., Chairman.
Thomas Davis, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

John Callaghan, Esq., J.P. | David Mackey, Esq., J.P.
Robert W. Hardie, Esq. | James Ward, Esq.

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Subscribed Capital	75,000
Paid-up Capital	60,000
Reserve Fund Account	18,500

Fixed DEPOSITS and Money at Call received at Current Rates of Interest.
Special Rates for periods beyond 12 months.

ADVANCES made on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties at Repayments to suit Borrowers.

Choice Suburban RESIDENCES and Allotments of LAND for SALE; small deposits and easy terms.

S. H. LEWIS, Manager.

THE IMPERIAL LAND, BUILDING, AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, Limited.

HOFFNUNG'S-BUILDINGS, 171, PITT-STREET.

Nominal Capital, £100,000.

WILLIAM G. CAMERON, Esq., Chairman.

Deposits received for current or fixed periods, and interest allowed thereon at the following rates:—

12 months	7 per cent
6 months	6 per cent
3 months	5 per cent
At Call	4 per cent.

Special arrangements for large sums and longer periods.

Current accounts opened (operated upon by cheque book), and interest allowed on the daily balance.

OVERDRAFTS GRANTED on the DEPOSIT of DEEDS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties within the metropolitan district.

Choice Building ALLOTMENTS at Randwick, Macdonaldtown, Waverley, St. Peters, for SALE. Small deposit and easy repayments.

LIBERAL ASSISTANCE TO BUILD.

For further information apply to
WILLIAM P. SMAIRL, Manager.

LAND COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, Limited.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£1,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	400,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	80,000
UNPAID CAPITAL and RESERVES ...	328,000

OFFICES:
SYDNEY ... ... 278, Pitt-street
LONDON ... ... 60, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
MELBOURNE ... 48, Collins-street West.

MONEY RECEIVED ON FIXED DEPOSIT AND ON CALL AT CURRENT RATES. Interest allowed on the DAILY BALANCE of CURRENT ACCOUNT, which can be operated upon by cheques in the usual manner.

STATIONS, FARMS, HOUSES, BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, and BRICKS, for SALE.
PROMISSORY NOTES (secured) discounted.
All communications should be addressed "The Manager."
G. BAKER WALKER, General Manager.

THE AUSTRAL BANKING AND LAND PROPRIETARY (Phillips and Company).

HIGHEST RATES FOR FIXED DEPOSITS.
8½ per cent. for 12 months
7 per cent. for 6 months
6½ per cent. for 3 months
6 per cent. at call.

Balance-sheets and full particulars on application to
F. W. EASLEY, Manager.
Sydney Office—Carrington-chambers, 30-32, Castlereagh-street.

LAND, MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, Limited.
(INCORPORATED under the Companies Act.)

CAPITAL... ... £75,000, with power to increase.

Corner YORK and KING STREETS.

The Company make Immediate Advances on all descriptions of Merchandise, bonded or otherwise, under hypothecation.
Trade Bills Discounted daily.
All financial operations attended to promptly.
Reversionary Interests, Legacies (European or Australian colonies), Remittances advanced on or purchased.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
Farms, Farming Implements, Machinery, Horses, Cattle, Conditional Purchases (with certificate of conformity), also Bills of Sale without registration or possession, in small or large amounts.
SPECIAL.—First or Second Mortgages. Personal advances granted.
Highest Rates given for Fixed Deposits.
HUGH SHARPE, Acting Manager.

METROPOLITAN MUTUAL PERMANENT BUILDING and INVESTMENT ASSOCIATION, Limited.

65, MARKET-STREET, SYDNEY.

NOTICE TO BORROWERS.

LIBERAL ADVANCES can be obtained at moderate rate of interest and low scale of repayment on approved Freehold and Leasehold Properties within the metropolitan district.
For particulars apply to
ROBERT W. CONWAY, Manager.

VICTORIAN LOAN and DISCOUNT COMPANY
724, George-street, Haymarket (next Mercantile Bank).
Advances on Bills of Sale, P. Ns., Deeds, and any security.
Low interest. Easy repayments. No delay. Strict privacy.
Bills discounted daily. DOUGLAS ALLEYNE, Manager.
Hours, 9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Mondays, 6 to 8 p.m.

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Loans may be repaid as under:—
Loan of £100, repayable by monthly instalments of £2 5s.
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All communications strictly private.
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on Bills of Sale, Pro- Notes, Deposit of Deeds, &c., &c.,
At MODERATE rates and WITHOUT delay.
Speciality, BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.
UTMOST CONFIDENCE can be RELIED upon.
Address—THE MANAGER.
Office hours—9 to 6 p.m. Saturdays, and Mondays 6 to 8 p.m.

ADVANCES made on all classes of Security.
BILLS DISCOUNTED.
BUSINESS of every kind financed.
ASSETS purchased, and
GUARANTEES given.
ASSETS REALIZATION and GENERAL FINANCE CO., Limited.
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MONEY ADVANCED on the shortest notice on FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES, BILLS of SALE on Furniture, Stock-in-trade, &c., &c., and any other approved of securities.

REPAYMENTS arranged to suit the borrower's convenience.
BILLS discounted daily at lowest rates of interest.
Business transacted without delay, and held strictly private.

COHEN and BORNSTEIN,
299, Pitt-st., 2 doors from Park-st., op. Criterion Theatre.

MONEY Advanced from £5 upwards. The Queen's Loan Co., 135, Bathurst-st., between Pitt and C'reagh sts.

MONEY to LEND, on city and suburban properties, from 5 to 7 per cent. Advances made upon mining scrip for short period. Bills discounted at moderate rates. J. M. GREIG and CO., 3, Beaumont's-chambers, 90, King-street.

H. E. RUSSELL, Financial Agent and Accountant, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.
MONEY to LEND on city, suburban, and country freeholds.
TRUST ACCOUNTS prepared and Estates managed.

TRUST FUNDS to LEND, on good freehold security. Salter and Barker, Solicitors, Young-street.

BROKEN HILLS, Centrals, Souths, Rounds, Bank, Gas, Trustees, bought. Wilder Griffiths, Collins st., Melb.

MONEY on Mortgage, any sum, lowest rates. Archibald Bulloch, 16, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

FRANK BLACKLEY, Stock and Share Broker, 5, Spring-street, Sydney; and Melbourne.

TRUST MONEY to LEND on Mortgage. Apply Thomas Read, solicitor, 133, King-street.

D. HAZLEWOOD, Broker, 70, Pitt-street, has buyers and sellers of good investment stocks, showing from 8 to 10 per cent.
Building companies' shares a specialty.

BROKEN HILL, 14 BLOCK.—Wanted, 7 Shares. Lowest price. Z. Z. Z., Herald Office.

OBAN TIN SHARES; a few for SALE. Address an offer to Oban, Herald.

TRUST FUNDS for Investment upon mortgage. Cope and King, solicitors, 139, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SUTHERLAND £100 HANDICAP.—Final, THIS AFTERNOON. Special Train, 5 to 2 (1.55).

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL INVESTMENT AND BUILDING COMPANY, Limited.

Authorised Capital	£100,000
Reserve Fund	£44,150

HEAD OFFICES:
308, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
BRANCH OFFICES:
AUBURN-STREET, GOULBURN.

SPECIAL FEATURES.
Depositors, Borrowers, and Land Buyers share in the profits.
Moneys received on Deposit to any extent at the following rates:—
4 per cent. per annum at call
5 per cent. per annum at six months,
with right to withdraw the whole or any portion at any time, with interest at the current rate for the period of deposit.

FIXED DEPOSITS FOR 12 MONTHS
receive interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum and
BONUS AT MATURITY.

NEW ISSUE OF SHARES.
To those who desire a thoroughly sound investment for their money, returning a satisfactory rate of interest, these shares are confidently recommended. As only a limited number remain for sale, early application is necessary.

ADVANCES GRANTED on REAL PROPERTY, repayable by instalments of 5s 6d per week for each £100 owing, interest being charged on the Daily Balance only.

For Balance-sheets, Forms of Application for Shares, and all information, apply
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FIRST FLOOR, 16, OXFORD-STREET, opposite Mark Foy's.

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Persons borrowing	£10 receive	£9 6 8
„ „	£20 receive	18 13 4
„ „	£30 receive	28 0 0
„ „	£40 receive	37 6 8
„ „	£50 receive	46 13 4

ADVANCES MADE on ANY TANGIBLE SECURITY.

All applications strictly confidential.

VALUABLE PATENT for SALE to Syndicate; price required only £1500. Proprietor will accept £1000 in cash, and balance in shares. Eleven (11) shares already taken up, and nineteen (19) remaining for disposal at £50 each. A small venture with every probability of very handsome returns in a short time. Investors should apply early.
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Municipal Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.
In answer to a numerously-signed requisition, I hereby convene a Public MEETING of the residents of Summer Hill, to be held in the Carlton Assembly Hall, corner of Lackey-street and Carlton-crescent, on TUESDAY EVENING next, 31st instant, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of urging upon the Government the necessity which exists for a SUBWAY between the railway station and the viaduct.
THOMAS DEAN, Mayor.
Council-chambers, Ashfield, 27th July, 1888.

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.

NOTICE TO DEFAULTERS.

Notice is hereby given that all outstanding RATES must be paid AT ONCE, otherwise legal proceedings will be taken for recovery of same. Also for amounts due for emptying cesspits.
By order.
T. D. GLASSCOCK, Council Clerk.

Council Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Glebe, 27th July, 1888.

BOROUGH OF ST. LEONARDS.
NOTICE is hereby given that a Plan and Section showing the proposed Permanent LEVELS of RILEY-STREET is now lying at this office, and will so remain for fourteen days from this date for public inspection. Any objections thereto by persons interested must be transmitted in writing to the undersigned, for the consideration of the Council, before the expiration of such period.
W. BARNETT SMITH, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, St. Leonards, July 26, 1888.

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GROTH, 529, GEORGE-ST., BRICKFIELD-HILL, have on SALE the following, viz.:—

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ENAMEL PAINTS	VARNISHES
PUTTY and OILS	SHEET GLASS
BRUSHWARE	DADOS, BORDERS.

IRONBARK GIRDERS, all lengths and sizes
Turpentine and other PILES, up to 70 feet
Best Northern Hardwood Palings, split and sawn
Laths, Pickets, Shingles, on hand and to order; lowest rates.
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Foreign and Colonial Timber, Doors, Sashes, Moulding, &c.
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ENGLISH Chime CLOCK, quite new, for SALE, strikes the hours on the gong, chimes the Westminster and Cambridge chimes for the quarters. Mr. BOURKE, Jeweller, Castlereagh-street, opposite Theatre Royal.

OILSKIN CLOTHING for men and boys; Oilskin Sheeting for Invalids and for wrappers, Waterproof Covers for horses, carts, merchandise, &c.; cheap. Goldstein, Government contractor, oilskin maker, &c., 231, Lower George-street.

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Tin Trunks				8 0	10 0	11 6	12 6	13 9
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72 inches wide at 11½d yard, worth 1s 4½d
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250 dozen Ladies' Night Dresses.	Trimmed work, beautifully made, good calicos, all at 1s 11d, 2s 3d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, 3s 11d, and 4s 9d.

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OUR FIJI LETTER.

FIJI, JULY 17.

The Legislative Council, as the outcome of their deliberations, having added a round dozen of ordinances to our already voluminous Statute Roll, closed their last session on the 13th ultimo, since when there has been little stirring in Governmental affairs.

The re-organisation of the Civil Service promised by Sir John B. Thurston immediately after his arrival in the colony has apparently been fully carried out, and with a much reduced staff the official work of the colony seems to be quite as efficiently carried on, as of old, while in some of the Departments notably that of immigration and labour, routine business is transacted much more expeditiously, and with greater exactitude than under the rule of the late Agent-General.

The chief topic of conversation during the month has been the question of introduction of cheap labour from the New Hebrides and other groups of islands. It was generally understood from his Excellency's speeches at the Suva and Levuka banquets that the matter would be taken in hand at once, and as in the case of the first introduction of Indian coolies, labourers, if obtainable, would be brought into the country, and allotted to those planters applying for them. It would seem, however, that his Excellency's utterances have been much misunderstood. So far as I can learn there is no intention to move in the matter at all if the labour introduced is to be absorbed by wealthy planters and large companies, and before accepting the responsibility of recruiting and paying the cost of introduction of any labour, the Government require assurance that the men so imported will find ready employment in the prosecution of what may be termed the minor industries of the colony, and also that substantial guarantee from capitalists for repayment of all initial expenditure, and security for payment of wages during term of service and of return passage-money be given. A deputation representing the leading merchants and planters resident in Levuka waited on his Excellency, on the 14th instant, and tendered a guarantee that the cost of the introduction of 250 labourers from the New Hebrides would be recouped to the Government by the signatories to the document then handed in. This was not considered satisfactory by his Excellency, who has, however, promised to state fully the requirements of the Government with as little delay as possible. The outcome of the "Vei Bose Vaka Turaga" recently held at Gau has been that a very considerable number of natives have been told off for yearly service, and recruiting agents in the employ of the sugar companies have been doing good business during the past month. As, however, an employer of Fijian labour has to pay a fee of £10 before an agent can engage 5, 10, or 50 men on his behalf, small planters are not likely to benefit much from the local labour thus at command.

Though fully six weeks later than was anticipated in the commencement of the year, our crushing season may now be said to have fully opened. Our mammoth mills at Nausori, Rewa, and Rarawai, Ba district, started their rollers on the same date, 3rd instant, and both mills are reported to have done good work during the past fortnight. The Rewa Sugar Company's mill at Koronivia started yesterday, and will have full work to clear fields by the end of the season. The Navua and Deuba mills will be somewhat later, owing to the greater rainfall in those districts. Penang Estate has a heavy crop of cane fully ready for harvesting, but from delay in the arrival of machinery which will, when erected, fully double producing power, cannot expect to commence crushing operations before end of month. I have no late report from Mago, but expect they will be now cutting cane. The small mills at Ellington, Ra Coast, Selia, Levu, and Holmhurst, on Taviuini Island, and at Drekete, Macuata Coast, are in full work with ample fields of ripe cane. Since I wrote last the weather has been all that could be desired by cane-growers, and as it now seems set for a continuance of hot dry weather, the prospects for the ensuing season are brightening considerably. Although it cannot be hoped that the sanguine anticipations of some months since will be realised, a trustworthy reporter after visiting the principal cane-districts is able to write:—"It may be reasonably anticipated that the output for 1888 will fully reach a fair average. Cane is plentiful, and the damage from excessive rains has not affected it so injuriously as has been lately anticipated." From the best sources of information I have at command it seems likely that New Zealand will be the chosen market for the bulk of our produce during the coming season. I hear also that the Colonial Sugar Company have bought all produce of the Navua Company's estates.

There are rumours that another company are about to commence planting operations on a large scale on the island of Vanna Levu, but the report requires confirmation. Our fruit shipments keep fully up to the high figures ruling lately, each steamer carrying away full cargoes. Prices realised per bunch for bananas in yours and other colonial markets have fallen much, but competition to purchase seems as keen as ever, and the only grievance producers complain of is that greater care and discrimination are not exercised in selection of bunches for export purposes. The latest rumour in this line is that the Colonial Sugar Refining Company intend planting up fully 1000 acres of the most approved lands on their Rewa estates during the current season with bananas, and so be able to control the fruit as well as the sugar market in your city. An attempt was made during last week to form a syndicate in Levuka with the object of purchasing and exporting bananas from thence, but the scheme seems to have fallen through. The aim of the promoters in this scheme was not so much to increase exports as to bring back to Levuka trade which has lately drifted to and centred in the port of Suva.

Copra exporters, with full warehouses, are anxiously looking out for freightage, and by latest news will have yet to wait for same. The result of disinclination to purchase is that producers are now hoarding for advanced prices, and the secondary result following thereon is that local business has been very dull during the past month. Beche-de-mer, likewise, has only been coming forward in small lots. Apparently, Fijians are too indolent to work on their own account, and as they will only engage to work by fits and starts for wages, many who, when the Governmental restrictions on the fishing were cancelled, embarked in the enterprise are now withdrawing therefrom. Prices realised for parcels coming forward still maintain former rates. The Agricultural and Industrial Society, after fully advertising their intended exhibition as finally fixed for the 13th of current month, have extended date of holding same to the 9th November next. No doubt good reasons for their so doing ruled the decision, but these reasons have not been made public, and much annoyance is expressed at this action of the committee of management by intending exhibitors who had specially prepared their produce samples. There is now on exhibition at Suva some fine pods of vanilla, grown on a plantation in our near vicinity, which should effectually the doubts which have been entertained as to the vines becoming fruitful in this climate. Several planters in the Rewa and Navua districts have lately been giving attention to this industry, and with the samples now shown it may reasonably be hoped that at no distant period the products will assume respectable figures of value in our export returns.

The Index, schooner, arrived in Levuka from Samoa on the 7th instant. This vessel, it will be remembered, was despatched by the British Consul from Apia—H. M. war steamer Calliope then lying at anchor in that harbour—for the purpose of affording relief to the shipwrecked crew and passengers of the barque Henry James, lost on the Palmyra reefs during her voyage from Newcastle, N. S. W., for San Francisco. It is, of course, known to all your readers that these unfortunates were rescued by the R.M.S. Mariposa, and landed safely at their port of destination, no loss of life having occurred, nor apparently any very great hardships suffered. As, however, it took the schooner, admitted to be one of the smartest crafts trading in the South Pacific, 28 days to reach Palmyra Islands from Apia, having only her canvas to depend upon, while H.M. ship Calliope could have steamed the distance in some four days at the very outside, a good many of your readers will doubtless look with some impatience for the answer to be given to your Premier's inquiries as to the reason why the steamship was not sent, under circumstances of what seemed urgent need.

The John Hunt, schooner, returned to port on Friday last, having completed a smart round trip to Samoa, Wallis Island, and other stations of her owners within a month. She brings in a full load of copra on behalf of her Sydney owners. Reports of Samoan affairs by both vessels agree in general detail—nothing of any moment to report. Tamesese's Government gradually being accepted by adherents of the Malietoa party. Two leading chiefs have within the last few weeks given in their adhesion to the reigning powers, and, as regards foreign residents, a policy of conciliation appears to be the order of the day. We have no very late news from Tonga, but latest accounts report the religious effervescences lately troubling the islands as gradually dying out. No commercial news of note.

In social matters the event has been the fortnight's residence at Lemtea of his Excellency and Lady Thurston. Lemkaus are loud in praise of the courteous hospitality which has been extended during the above time from the old Government House at Nasova, but possibly a good deal of the enthusiasm is due to the novelty of the experience. Since the removal of the seat of Government from Levuka to Suva, our Governors have rarely condescended to visit the older town, much less to extend any social courtesy to the residents thereof.

Late steamers have taken away several families of old residents, some of whom will be long remembered.

Amongst the Gunga passengers we see the name of Sir Samuel Griffith, and speculation is rife as to whether he is merely doing a holiday trip, or to see if he can discover any "wrinkles" in our labour system which may be of use in his next political campaign in "Banana Land."

The Criminal Sessions opened yesterday. As usual, a heavy catalogue of crime by coolie labourers. The sensational trial, however, will be that of a European and a half-caste for the murder of the man Stewart, at Nadi, some four months since. The police state that they are confident of a conviction on the capital charge. Rumour gives out that the European has been accepted as Queen's evidence against his half-caste accomplice.

THE DRINK BILL OF THE COLONY FOR 1887.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As in former years, I beg to place before your readers the drink bill of this colony. A portion of the returns have only recently been made public; hence the advanced period of the year in which the bill is compiled. The figures of the bill as to quantities are all taken from Government papers, as before. The prices are the same as in the previous year; the only exception is the addition of 2s. per gallon for extra duty on spirits. As I do not know that publicans have changed their prices for colonial beer, which is usually sold by the glass and seldom by the bottle, I have not added the amount of the new duty placed thereon. In the matter of these prices, it must be remembered that those charged in the country are usually double those in the city, while in some very distant parts a shilling a glass is common. The bill is only an approximate one, as all national drink bills only can be, but it is as near the actual truth as it is necessary for us to know.

The following are the figures for 1887:—

Spirits, 257,370gal., at 35s	£450,398
Spirits, 873,594gal., at 37s	1,616,148
Wines, sparkling, 19,425gal., at 40s	38,904
Wines, still, 141,581gal, at 20s	141,581
Wines, colonial, 601,897gal., at 10s...	304,948
Beer (imported) in wood, 841,885gal., at 5s	210,471
Beer (imported) in bottle, 1,284,429gal., at 7s. ...	449,000
Beer, colonial, 9,380,895gal., at 3s	1,407,135
	£4,614,585

This shows a reduction of £517,207 on the year 1886. The mean population was 1,022,442, and the amount per head £4 10s. 3d., or 14s. 5d. less than in 1886.

There was a decrease on nearly all the items. By far the most notable is that in colonial beer. It is a chief beverage of a large portion of the working-class. The depression in the colony which undoubtedly prevailed last year seriously affected their spending powers. It has not been easy, however, to arrive with confidence at the real quantity consumed. No return has previously, has been given for the whole year. Through the imposition of the beer tax the matter has passed into the hands of a different Government department, and it only gives the figures from 3rd June, which is the date upon which the tax was brought into force. I have made an estimate in the bill by allowing the same quantity for the first half of the year as for the second, and by deducting the exports. Yet the total may be less than the actual consumption, as it is said that many publicans stored up as much beer as possible prior to the imposition of the tax. Indeed, it has been a year of unrest for the business in beer, and the revelations as to the presence of fusel oil in it did not tend to lessen the brewers' troubles.

That there has been a very important decrease under the head of colonial beer may be inferred by the remarkable fact that the convictions for drunkenness last year were far less that the year before. The decrease in the metropolis alone was no less than 2538. There has been no such cheering fact for a long period. The slight decrease in the consumption under other heads than colonial beer would be insufficient to account for this. I may add that while the inability to spend money on drink may have materially helped to bring about this reduction in the number of drunkards, a prominent factor has been the constant and earnest efforts of the various temperance societies.

It is well to observe by comparison the amounts spent in former years. The cost per head is upon the mean population, and is not computed, as formerly, on that of 31st December. The figures are:—

1883	£4,840,019 ...	per head ...	£5 16 0
1884	5,143,309 ...	per head ...	5 16 9
1885	5,477,234 ...	per head ...	5 17 8
1886	5,131,792 ...	per head ...	5 4 8
1887	4,614,585 ...	per head ...	4 10 3

In passing, these figures show how marvellously valuable is the exclusive right enjoyed by the publicans. The total bill for the five years amounts to no less than £25,206,939. What an enormous sum! This has mainly passed through the tills of the publicans. Are they not indeed privileged monopolists? The cry for compensation, should the State close their bars, is raised; but are they not now receiving their compensation in the extraordinary value of their monopoly?

There are, however, two special features connected with the Drink Bill which must not pass unnoticed. The first is the loss of wealth to the country generally through the sale of intoxicants. The sum of £4,614,585, spent last year, was, less the duty, a complete waste. The allowance for medical and scientific purposes would be infinitesimal as compared with the whole. The labour connected with the manufacture and sale of drink is what political economists call "unproductive." Such labour does no good. For instance, if 50 men were employed in carrying bricks to a neighbouring street during one week, and in taking them back to the same spot in the next, there would be much work, but it would be all lost; or should 50 men be engaged for a week in digging a big hole in the ground, and in the next in simply filling it up again, it would be labour without any profit. The work would be unproductive. Of the same character is that connected with drink. What greater authority could we have than Adam Smith? He says: "All the labour expended on producing strong drink is utterly unproductive, it adds nothing to the wealth of the community." It must, therefore, be borne in mind that while intoxicants are at best but an unsafe luxury, they bring no national wealth. The country would be no poorer to-day if the millions of gallons consumed last year had all been emptied into the harbour instead of down men's throats.

The other feature is, that after all the drink is productive. Are not our gaols chiefly filled with the victims? Have not the public often heard that Darlinghurst was crowded? The 13 principal gaols of the colony and the numerous watchhouses, some of which are small gaols in which sentences of up to 12 months can be done, are all needed mainly because of drink—and a patient people bear the cost. Last year there were 195 inquests over persons whom juries said died through intemperance. But are there not innumerable cases of misery never revealed to the public? How many are the victims whose sorrows are never unveiled before a police court? The especial cases of hardship to innocent women and little children have been pitiable in the extreme. Parliamentary papers do not tell of the wives whose hearts bleed and who suffer in silence. Thus, while the unproductive side of the drink bill tends to national depression and poverty, the productive has written upon it, within and without, mourning, and lamentation, and woe.

No doubt it is cheering that matters are a little better, but do not the facts cry aloud for an immediate reform? Our Parliament has by a very large majority agreed to the principle of full local option, and why should there be any delay in passing it into law? Are not the souls and bodies, the homes and lives, of men and women of more importance than questions of land, or railways, or rabbits? I am very confident that no law would tend more to the welfare of the community than one to give the people power to remove any or all bars from their neighbourhoods. The distinct promise of the Premier to deal with the question next session will not be for a moment forgotten. By no true citizen can the matter be ignored, especially while it is seen that the unproductive and productive sides of the very immoderate drink bill are crowded with such disastrous consequences.

I am, &c.,

St. Paul's, Redfern, July 27. F. B. BOYCE.

A small Gatling gun, not larger that many children's toys displayed in shop windows, says *Court Journal*, has been brought out in the United States, which however, is not to serve as such, but for a sterner purpose. This improved Gatling gun, consisting of five steel barrels, only 10in. long, with the necessary number of wheels and cogs and ratchets, and terminating in a handle, the whole mounted on brass, has a total weight of only 75lb. It is said to be so easily handled that a child can turn the crank and grind out bullets at the rate of 800 a minute. This small Gatling is intended for police and city use, and can be fired with equal facility and rapidity, from the cellar up or from the roof down. It can also be fired while advancing or retreating. The gun has been submitted to the military authorities of the United States, but it is not stated whether it meets with their approval.

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LAW REPORT.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—SATURDAY.

SEQUESTRATION ORDER.

John Lynn, of Cullendulla, near Bateman Bay, labourer. Mr. A. Morris, official assignee.

CREDITOR'S PETITION.

McLean Bros., Rigg, limited, v. H. Proudfoot, of Bourke, tinsmith. Petition to be heard on the 24th August.

POLICE.

Mr. C. Delohery, D.S.M., presided in the Charge division of the CENTRAL POLICE COURT on Saturday. Matthew Howrigan, 36, dealer, was fined 40s., or 14 days to gaol, for cruelly ill-treating a horse in Hay-street. Robert Wilson, 32, labourer, charged with soliciting alms in Riley-street, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour. Woolfe Myers, 30, dealer, was charged with maliciously injuring a pane of glass, value 20s., the property of a Chinese named On Sang. The accused was fined 20s., and ordered to pay the damage, in default thereof, 21 days' gaol. Robert M'Dougall, 25, collector, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour, for having a cured pig's head in his possession which was reasonably suspected to have been stolen. The accused also pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing a cullender, value 1s., the property of Archibald Fletcher, ironmonger, George-street West. He received a sentence of one month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for this offence. A number of persons were punished for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Mr. G. W. F. Addison, S.M., presided in the Charge branch of the WATER POLICE COURT. John Hennessey, 24, tinsmith, and Edward Keogh, 27, labourer, were each fined 40s., in default seven days' gaol, for having been drunk and disorderly in Paddington-street, Paddington. Hugh M'Laughlin, 40, labourer, and Frederick Connors, 22, labourer, were each mulcted in a like penalty for having been drunk and disorderly, the former in Queen-street, Woollahra, and the latter in Oxford-street. Martin Anderson, 28, merchant, charged by warrant with using threatening language towards Christine Anderson, was bound over to keep the peace for a period of six months, and was ordered to find substantial sureties for the performance of the same, in default to be imprisoned for three months. Bernard Donohoe, 47, labourer, and William Boulton, 19, seaman, were each awarded a penalty of 40s., or one month's imprisonment, for having made use of indecent language, the first-named in Fountain-street, Manly, and the last-mentioned in Argyle-street.

Mr. C. Delohery, D.S.M., dealt with the cases at the REDFERN POLICE COURT. John M'Ginley was fined 20s., in default 14 days' gaol, for having resisted a police constable whilst in the execution of his duty. Susan Bennett, for having made use of indecent language in Cleveland-street, was mulcted in the sum of 40s., with the option of 14 days' gaol.

Mr. Marsh, S.M., dealt with the business at the ST. LEONARDS POLICE COURT on Saturday. Nicholas Louis, 42, described as a rag gatherer, was sent to gaol for a month for stealing 150lb. of cast-iron piping, the property of the North Shore Gas Company, and for having two sash-weights in his possession reasonably supposed to be stolen, the same prisoner received a further sentence of seven days. Henry Byles, 21, a labourer, for being drunk, and for using profane language in Alfred-street, was mulcted in the sum of 25s., or seven days' imprisonment; and on a further charge of having assaulted Constable Treanor, the arresting officer, a further penalty of £7, with the alternative of four months in gaol, was inflicted.

Messrs. H. Taylor and R. Harper, J.s.P., disposed of the business at the PARRAMATTA POLICE COURT. Michael Sweeny, charged with travelling in a railway carriage of a superior class to that which he had taken a ticket for, pleaded guilty, and was fined £10, to be recovered by levy and distress, in default, three days' in Parramatta gaol. William Simmett was charged with three offences. For being drunk he was fined 20s., or seven days; for obscene language, 40s., or one month; and for soliciting alms, two months; sentences to be cumulative.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

FOUND DEAD AT WOOLLAHRA.

An inquest was held at the Croydon hotel, Lower George-street, on Saturday, before the City Coroner (Mr. H. Shiell, J.P.), touching the death of a man named Samuel Hebblewhite Orton, whose dead body was found in a sitting posture under the verandah of a fruit and confectionery shop at the corner of Queen-street and Oxford-street, at about 11.45 p.m. on Friday. It appears from the evidence that the deceased was 42 years of age, a native of England, and lately resided at No. 1, Grosvenor-street, Woollahra. He leaves a widow and seven children. He was of delicate constitution, but enjoyed good health, and was of temperate habits, but had a very irritable temperament. He left home on Friday morning, at about 8 o'clock, to go to his business at Messrs. Turner and Henderson's establishment, Hunter-street, where he was employed as machine-cutter; and James Clarence Humphreys, manager of the printing department at Messrs. Turner and Henderson's, stated that the deceased was, on Friday, remarkably cheerful, more so than at any other time of late. About 11.55 p.m. the body of the deceased was discovered, as stated above, by Phillip Larbalestier, a night-watchman, who at first thought him to be drunk. His hat was on the seat, and also were four pieces of bread and butter and jam. On closer examination of the man life was found apparently extinct, and the police were informed, and the body was conveyed to the Sydney Hospital, when Dr. Hughes said the man was dead. The body was subsequently taken to the North Sydney Morgue, where it was examined by Dr. Eichler, who stated there were no external marks of violence on the body. The post-mortem examination showed that the brain was congested, and death, in his opinion, was due to syncope, brought on in all probability by the congested state of the brain. The jury returned a verdict that deceased died from natural causes.

SHOULD INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES be DETERMINED by WAR or by DIPLOMACY?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I was much interested in reading your correspondent's letter upon the above subject. The thought has frequently occurred to me—"To what end among the nations of Europe will the advance of science in the direction of the deadliness of national armaments result? Will the awful carnage of conflict, carried on under conditions which the mind shrinks from contemplating in all their vastness of deadly imports tend to stay the hands of the rulers of nations from plunging into war, and its consequent magnitude of horrors which the rapidly increasing destructiveness of weapons would entail, and tend to hasten the time when the force of foreseen circumstances will compel the arbitrament of diplomacy to settle international disputes—when the peoples of the civilised world will raise a firm voice of protest against the "magnificent horrors of war," and, with a stern unity of purpose, direct the settlement of disputes into the peaceful channels of a nationally federated tribunal of justice and equity? None but influences such as these will determine the question. Under the old dispensation, from the time 1918 B.C., when the nine kings warred together in the Vale of Siddim, the force of principalities and powers have been exercised to settle their differences in bloodshed and ruin. Under the new Christian dispensation, from the time when Nero sacked Jerusalem to the present day, it has ever been the same. The predominant instinct of humanity is bellicose, and so long as human passion, pride, ambition, and covetousness sway the human mind, will the sword be the dread arbiter, unless restrained by a universal accent of fear. The practicability of the question, apart from the views herein expressed, is, however, well worthy of the deepest thought. The contemplation is one of universal interest, and fraught with moment to common humanity. If plans or schemes could be evolved which would result in thinning the vast battalions of the Continent peacefully, in sounding the "recall" to quiet pursuits of the armed camp of Europe, those whose instrumentality aided its accomplishment would be the world's benefactors. If, as your correspondent suggests, a high court of appeal, consisting of representatives of each nation, were formed, wherein counsel might be heard on both sides, the decision of the representative confederacy being final, would that meet the difficulty? Would not one of the litigants, representing a country smarting under a real or fancied affront, refuse to accept the dictum of the high court of appeal as sufficient satisfaction? In the case of civil law, the individual, per force of weakness, must submit; but in the case of a powerful nation how different! Certainly, the array of power against her would be unequal, but, driven upon a feeling of injustice in the dispensation of the court's award, backed by the united approbation of the country or impelled by their national traditions, she may refuse to accept the federated verdict and so soon as practicable respond by a call to arms.

Take, for instance, Russia, following the traditionary purposes of her founder—would her ambition be controlled, or the accomplishment of her real or fancied destiny checkmated, because the high court of Europe deemed its pursuance unjust?

These and many other questions arise which create a feeling that almost insuperable difficulties hedge the way. Even the initiatory stages would be hard of accomplishment, viz., the reduction of forces. Your correspondent says: "The defences also of each nation might be retained in their integrity, and well manned for the safety and peace of the inhabitants." But who would regulate the general reduction to "a tolerable degree of exiguity," whilst the nations of Europe are simmering with a latent spirit of antagonism to each other, and their safety demands yet greater numbers to swell the already plethoric multitude of their defenders?

Space forbids entering here more largely upon the general aspect of the question, but to me the solution appears in the fact that settlement by diplomacy will ultimately be forced upon the nations of the world by the united voices of the people groaning under a military burden too heavy to bear, and trembling before the awful consequences of war, carried on with weapons and engines of destruction appalling in their deadly magnitude.

I am, &c.,

July 27. ALFRED H. REED.

TO ALL LEAVING HOME FOR A CHANGE.—BILIOUS ATTACKS AND SEA SICKNESS.—"I can seldom go to sea without being sick, and I can safely say Eno's 'Fruit Salt' is the only thing that ever gave me relief, and I shall ever recommend it to all who suffer from sea sickness.—I am, yours truly, W. Boyce, Signalman H.M.S. Industry, 24th May, 1880." Caution.—Legal rights are protected in every civilised country. Read the following:—"In the Supreme Court of Sydney (N.S.W.) an appeal from a decree of Sir W. Manning perpetually restraining the defendant (Hogg) from selling a fraudulent imitation of 'Eno's Fruit Salt,' and giving heavy damages to the plaintiff, has, after a most exhaustive trial of two days' duration, been unanimously dismissed with costs."—Sydney Morning Herald, Nov. 26.—[ADVT.]

MEETINGS.

EXHIBITION OF WOMEN'S INDUSTRIES.

At a meeting of the general committee of the horticultural and floral department of the Exhibition of Women's Industries, held on Friday last, at the Colonial Secretary's Office, Lady Carrington in the chair, the dates and arrangement of the various displays were decided. For the thorough representation of the County of Cumberland in the floral department, the committee have formed the several districts into groups, as there is fully a fortnight's difference between the time when, according to the place where they are grown, flowers attain their perfection in bloom. On the opening day, October 2, will be shown pot plants, ferns, and floral baskets, from the districts of Balmain, Bondi and Waverley, Darlinghurst, Darling Point, Manly, Miller's Point, Pyrmont and Ultimo, St. Andrews, Surry Hills, Woollahra, and Woolloomooloo. On the 5th October Annandale, Croydon, Darlington, Enmore, Eveleigh, Glebe, Newtown, Paddington, Stanmore, Strathfield, Summer Hill, and Watson's Bay will exhibit in the same sections and classes. In the following week all girls attending school and all cottage-gardeners will show cut flowers in several sections, on the 12th and 13th October. On the 16th and 17th there will be a competition open to all amateurs in table floral decoration, a class in which there is much scope for individual taste, and for which one lady has offered a prize of five guineas. On the 19th and 20th October the amateurs who do not employ gardeners will exhibit bouquets of various kinds, cut roses, and collections of other cut flowers. In the last week there will be a repetition of the fête of the first week. On the 22nd October and two following days Ashfield, Auburn, Burwood, Cook's River, Canterbury, Granville, Leichhardt, Liverpool, Marrickville, Parramatta, Petersham, and Waterloo will compete in pot plants, ferns, &c.; and on 25th October and two following days Botany, Campbelltown, Five Dock, Greenwich, Homebush, Hunter's Hill, Hurstville, Kogarah, Narellan, North Willoughby, Randwick and Coogee, and St. Leonards will show in the same classes. By this division the committee secure a continuous attraction in their department, and avoid the injury which too long an exhibition frequently causes to plants. It is understood that permission will be asked for the erection of a special annexe at the northern end of the Exhibition Building, for the suitable accommodation of these beauties of nature. Special provision is made for showing native flowers, and at each display the many girls who are employed by professional florists will compete in the arrangement of cut flowers. In addition, florists and ladies who employ gardeners have promised to lend their treasures for decoration, and to contribute plants and flowers for sale, so that the department bids fair to be as profitable to the fund as it will undoubtedly be attractive. In our advertising columns this day appears a list of the sections in Department IV., Mechanical Work, of which a notice appeared in Saturday's issue.

PRESENTATION TO MR. WALTER D'ARRIETTA.

On Saturday last a réunion of the staff of the Government Printing Office took place, at which Mr. Walter D'Arrietta, for many years overseer in that department, was presented with a handsome tea and coffee service and an illuminated address, on his retirement, after nearly 50 years' service. Despite the bad weather, a large number of Mr. D'Arrietta's friends assembled at the Circular Quay, where the committee had in waiting the steamer Princess, in which a pleasant trip round the harbour was made. During the trip the guest was invited to land at Clontarf, when the Chairman (Mr. Bloomfield), after apologising for the unavoidable absence of several friends of the movement, in a few well-chosen words explained the object of the gathering, and called upon the Government Printer to make the presentation, that gentleman having kindly offered his services.

Mr. POTTER, in handing over the souvenir, said it gave him much pleasure in thus conveying to Mr. D'Arrietta the handsome pledge of the hearty goodwill and good wishes of his late fellow-workers. The large number of faces so well known to him there to-day was the best proof of the estimation in which he was held among them. He could well recall the guest's zealous and ready help in every way for the good of the service and the Department. In losing Mr. D'Arrietta the Department had not only lost an old and trusted servant, but a true and genial friend. If there was one thing that gave him more pleasure than another in the administration of the establishment, it was in having the services of good men, and in seeing those services well appreciated. In this handsome souvenir Mr. D'Arrietta would have an earnest of their cordial feelings of amity and esteem; and he knew that he echoed the sentiments of all when he wished their guest along, happy, and prosperous future.

Mr. D'ARRIETTA, in thanking Mr. Potter and his many other kind friends around him, found himself in a very trying position in thus formally taking leave of an institution with which he had been connected for nearly half a century. He could not help being much impressed, too, by the encomiums passed upon him in the handsome address with which he had just been presented in such kind terms. In his long and happy service among them if he had, as they were kind enough to say, well acquitted himself, he was ever deeply indebted to the able, ready, and cheerful co-operation of his fellows-in-arms. Some little while back he had been compelled, through failing health, to apply for 12 months' leave. It was his hope that the change would fit him again to enter harness. But he had since felt that his energies were perhaps not what they once were, as so flatteringly portrayed by Mr. Potter, and that he would better serve his department and himself by retiring from official duty. He was indeed happy to see here to-day so many old friends, and would say no more than that the valuable present now made him would be dearly prized by him and his as a pledge of what he most valued—the goodwill and esteem of those who knew him best.

Votes of thanks to the Government Printer, the committee, and to Messrs. S. Malarky and W. Marshall (for their gratuitous services in lettering and illuminating the address respectively), and three cheers for the Queen, brought the proceedings to a close.

On Saturday evening last a number of fruitgrowers in the Fairfield district met at Mr. Dale's cottage, Fairfield, for the purpose of considering the advisability of forming a branch of the Fruitgrowers' Union of New South Wales in that district, Mr. S. H. Appleton presiding. It was unanimously decided to apply to the parent society for permission to start the branch, and Mr. M'Whinney was appointed secretary pro tem. After forming themselves into a committee of the whole, with Mr. Appleton as chairman, the meeting was adjourned till the 18th of August, when the election of officers will take place.

The annual meeting of the Central Cumberland Cricket Association was held in Forsyth's club rooms, on Saturday evening last, Mr. H. Taylor, M.L.A., presiding. The minutes of the inaugural meeting were confirmed, and 12 clubs sent in the entrances for the *Cumberland Argus* Cup and the Ferris Trophy. It was announced that a number of valuable trophies were promised, and Mr. H. Taylor announced his intention of giving £5 towards a fund for entertaining visitors.

The annual meeting of the members and local secretaries of the Young People's Scripture Union was held in the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, Pitt-street, on Saturday afternoon. There was a large attendance, particularly of young people. The chair was occupied by the Rev. J. D. Langley. There were also on the platform: The Ven. Archdeacon of Cumberland, the Revs. J. W. Inglis, J. Hargrave, A. E. Bellingham, Messrs. George Lewis, James Anderson, John Kent, J. Fletcher, and S. Sinclair (hon. secretary). The meeting was opened with devotional exercises, prayer being offered by Archdeacon King. The Chairman said he was very glad to see such a large attendance in spite of the unfavourable weather. The work of the Scripture Union had been steadily progressing during the year, and he knew from personal observation that many of their friends were taking a great interest in its success, and many were becoming Bible readers under the regulations of the union. He was glad to be able to inform them that there were now a total of 244 branches in New South Wales. Fifty-seven new branches had been established, and 20 of the old branches had lapsed from various causes. During the year the committee had issued 16,960 cards for membership, so that from this alone it would be seen that the union was growing in the colony. In the old country the work was making great progress, and children's services were regularly held at various sea-side resorts. Something had also been done in this direction in this colony, as several very interesting services for children had been held at sea-side resorts, and the attendance had been most encouraging. He trusted that these services would be continued at the various centres where the people congregated in the summer time, for they could not fail to do a great spiritual good. In conclusion, he referred briefly to the work done by the union in Japan and Madagascar, and urged the audience to give the union increased support. Interesting addresses to children upon the subject of Bible reading and the study of the Scriptures were delivered by the Rev. J. W. Inglis, the Rev. J. Hargrave, and the Rev. A. E. Bellingham, after which the meeting terminated. The proceedings were interspersed with singing by the choir.

The annual dedication service of St. Anne's, Ryde, was held in the church on St. Anne's Day, the 26th instant, conducted by the vicar and the Rev. A. Bartlett, M.A. Mr. Bartlett intoned the prayers, and was also the preacher for the day. The choir was large and efficient, under the direction of Mr. G. M. Pope, the organist. The church was very tastefully decorated, and the congregation nearly filled it. In the evening a social tea was given in St. Anne's Hall, and at least 200 hundred persons (the lay-helpers of the parish and their friends) participated in the generous provision made for them, without charge, by the ladies of the congregation. During the evening some speeches were given by the clergy present, and these were interspersed by suitable selections of vocal and instrumental music. The Rev. H. H. Britten was ably assisted by the Rev. A. R. Bartlett, J. Hargrave, and W. Lumsdaine, and the sermon and speeches bore particularly on the value and necessity of lay co-operation in all church work. A very profitable, amicable, and enjoyable evening (the best of its kind known in the parish) terminated with well-merited votes of thanks to the clergymen present and to the ladies for their generous efforts.

The Woollahra Literary and Debating Society held its weekly meeting on Wednesday evening last in the Oddfellows' Hall, Queen-street; Mr. H. O. Holcombe, vice-president, in the chair. The business of the evening was the reading of the manuscript journal; papers on various subjects were read, amongst the most noticeable of which was one of a philosophical character, entitled, "Hope, Energy, and Perseverance," and also a very able one under the heading of "Land Alienation." All the contributions were impartially criticised, and upon the announcement that the business for next Wednesday would be readings and recitations the meeting terminated.

At the monthly meeting of Lodge Gladstone, No. 734, S.C., held in the Protestant Hall, on Thursday last, July 26, the officers for the ensuing year were installed by W. Bro. John Page Dale, P.M., assisted by W. Bro. Dennis, P.M., and Bro. Robbie, R.W.M., of Lodge Shaw Stewart, No. 711, S.C. The following are the officers for the ensuing year:—R.W.M., Bro. M. Rigden; J.P.M., Bro. J. J. Mulligan; D.M., Bro. W. G. Sadler; S.M., Bro. J. Murray; S.W., Bro. W. H. Jones; J.W., Bro. C. J. Browning; Treasurer, Bro. C. Siegmund; Secretary, Bro. T. H. Barkell; S.D., Bro. W. H. Carroll; J.D., Bro. H. Gould; J.G., Bro. J. Bastin. Immediately after the close of the lodge the R.W.M. invited the brethren present to the banquet prepared in the Carrington Hall, which invitation was accepted by most of the brethren present. About 125 brethren sat down to the spread, among whom were about 25 rulers of the craft. A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation of a gold watch and chain to the R.W.M., Bro. M. Rigden. Bro. Sidney Jacobs made the presentation, on behalf of the members, and pointed out that it was in a great measure due to the unflagging zeal of W. Bro. Rigden that Lodge Gladstone was in its present prosperous condition. W. Bro. Rigden suitably responded, and thanked the members sincerely for their gift, also for the honour they had conferred on him by again electing him to the proud position of R.W.M. of Lodge Gladstone. The usual loyal and Masonic toasts having been enthusiastically honoured, a most enjoyable evening was brought to a close in the customary manner.

A numerous meeting of the members of the Roman Catholic Total Abstinence Association, presided over by the Very Rev. Dr. Carroll, Vicar-General, took place yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's Cathedral, all the city and suburban branches being represented. At 3 o'clock a procession of the members, adult and juvenile, left St. Mary's boys' school and entered the cathedral, and as many attended the subsequent religious service, who were not actual participators in the proceedings, the cathedral presented a crowded appearance. Appropriate prayers having been recited, the Rev. Gonsalvo Kavanagh, of the Order of St. Dominick, entered the pulpit, and preached with eloquent force a sermon in which the moral and physical evils of drink, and the domestic and spiritual graces of total abstinence, were effectively contrasted. In the course of his observations the rev. preacher, after alluding to the lamentable spread of intemperance, spoke in strong terms of denunciation of the manner in which the majority of public-houses are conducted, and he gave earnest expression to a hope that the Parliament of New South Wales, before it was too late to save the name of this fair land from a dishonouring blot, would pass legislative enactments having for their special objects the establishment of a better and a sterner control of the liquor traffic, and the removal of at least some of the scandal, the shame, and the criminal ministry to men's evil passions now commonly associated with the average public-house. At the end of his sermon, which was characterised throughout by considerable vigour, the preacher called on all present to pledge themselves to the cause of total abstinence. The investiture of a number of new members followed, Dr. Carroll officiating at this ceremony. Among the clerics who assisted at the meeting were the Very Rev. Dr. Murphy, Rev. J. Collins, Rev. B. M'Donnell, and Rev. M. Glasheen.

THE MARIPOSA and the MARITIME COUNCIL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I notice in your issue of this day that the Maritime Council have notified Captain Hayward, of the steamship Mariposa, that their men will perform no work in connection with his ship unless the same demands are conceded by him as were by Captain Morse, of the Alameda. Now, this is very annoying, for various reasons. Firstly, I think the council should have waited for results from the course they pursued with the Alameda. It is true a cable was received in San Francisco before Captain Hayward had left, but it was of such a meagre description that what the trouble really was was not fully known; it is also true that the crew of the Mariposa had signed for the return voyage before the cable advices were received, and that the cables became interrupted, rendering any aid from the owners in time out of the question, otherwise arrangements might have been on a vastly different footing. Secondly, the council well knew that the Mariposa is mostly filled with exhibits for the Melbourne Centennial International Exhibition, and their patriotism should have at least urged them on to get the ship unloaded as soon as possible, so that the exhibits might have gone forward on the steamers this day, and many of them would have been in place on the opening day. As it is, many exhibitors are delayed here in Sydney, and are debarred from witnessing the opening of (what rightly should have been the Centennial International Exhibition of New South Wales instead of) the Melbourne International Exhibition. Why the council do not make an attack on some of the other steamship companies is a mystery to a large majority of the Americans in Sydney, and I presume to the other residents as well. Surely, the threats that the council made they intend to carry out, and not confine them to the American line alone. I think the crews of the P. and O. as well as Orient and the other lines are just as much an object of attack as the Oceanic Steamship Company. Thirdly, as they have said they would do, why do they not open fire on each line of vessels that they deem deserve their ire, and get the vexed question settled before it is too late?

There is an old proverb, "Think twice before you act," and I would remind the council that it would be well for them to do so ere they kill the goose that lays the golden egg. There is such a thing as going too far with the steamship owners; and they may, sooner than the labouring classes and their advisers think, cry out for them to halt. The old adage, that "money makes the mare go," will prove itself every time. The great leverage of this would is capital, and in the long run will win every battle that is waged against it. There is no doubt also that labour is a power, but where you have capital, you have the most persuasive argument ever known. The great lever they have tried in this battle for what they term their rights has been the Chinese; but if the whole matter was sifted to the bottom the Chinese are but a small item in the matter. If, instead of their paying so much time and attention to the Chinese, they would turn their attention to their own agitators, who, while pretending to have the wellbeing of the horny-handed sons of toil at heart, are living upon them, and will not work themselves, neither will they allow others to work in peace, they would lose less hours, live much better, and find that capital would walk more hand in hand with them. There is also another class who are gradually but surely getting their octopus-like grasp on this and the other colonies, who are never mentioned by the working-man, who are even worse if anything than the Chinese: I refer to the scum of Italy. They became so bad in New York in 1877 that the city authorities had to take prompt and decisive measures to keep them in check. They will, in time, make the streets of this city after nightfall anything but safe, unless the police are more than ever vigilant. What do you see in Sydney at the present time, if the public will only stop for a minute to look? Why, Italians are slowly but surely driving all other nationalities out of the fruit trade and its various other concomitant lines. Slowly are they getting all over the city with their wretched violins and harps, until at the present time they are a decided nuisance to the business classes, and I have no doubt to the masses. Let the working classes take a decided stand against them as well. You will find that they will sooner or later have to do so, as this climate, being not unlike Italy, has many and various attractions for them. Let the council be just and fear not, but don't confine their trouble to one line only. Treat all alike, and then there will be less cause for complaint. The American importers were put to trouble enough (to be let alone this time) by the delay in discharge of the Alameda, and now, when the cargo is, as before stated, mostly exhibits, they ask in a spirit of fairness that the Maritime Council withdraw their edict before the meeting that is called for Monday at the U. S. Consulate shall have taken place. Asking your pardon for trespassing so much on your valuable space, and enclosing my card.

I am, &c.,

Sydney, July 28. W. H. H. L.

THE TESTIMONIAL TO MR. KING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of to-day you publish a letter signed "Subscriber," who complains that, although a warm supporter of the testimonial to Mr. Frederick King, he would have known nothing of the presentation had the notice not appeared in the *Herald* of the previous day; and, in justice to the gentlemen who joined me in making the presentation, you will, perhaps, allow me space to explain that instead of two or three of the subscribers taking this duty upon themselves, as your correspondent would represent, it was only upon the expressed wish of, I understood, all interested that this course was taken. When it is remembered that the officers of the department, being distributed at institutions, some distance apart, and holding positions where they are unable to leave their duties in a body, it was perfectly impossible that the usual manner of calling a general meeting of subscribers could be carried out as in the case of the presentation to Sir John Robertson, which is referred to. From "Subscriber's" letter it would appear that he had an exceptional claim as a warm supporter to be consulted, but when all were unanimous in their anxiety to express their affection to their late chief I may have omitted in one instance to inform a subscriber of the decision of the rest of those interested, for which neglect I must ask him to accept this letter as an apology, and to assure him that instead of the occasion having been marred by the unwarranted action of the gentlemen referred to, that Mr. King has written, thanking those interested for consulting his feelings by making the presentation in a semi-private manner, as owing to bad health he was unfit for the excitement that a public presentation would have caused him. On behalf of the rest of the subscribers, who have one and all vied to do their utmost to make this occasion one of satisfaction and pleasure to Mr. King, I entirely repudiate that there is anything to regret in our manner of showing this regard; and when "Subscriber" remembers that the duty fell upon one to do all the necessary interviewing of each subscriber (a meeting being impossible as before explained), that it is quite possible he may have been called upon several times to give him an opportunity of seeing the offering and address, when, through being out or engaged, his opportunity may have been lost, and he then did not make that effort which he might have done on his own behalf.

I am, &c.,

Sydney, July 28. FREDK. A. ROSSITER.

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TRADES MOVEMENTS.

THE MARITIME DISPUTE.

In connection with the maritime labour dispute, an account elsewhere of a meeting of 2000 miners in the Newcastle district on Saturday has an important bearing on the question of a strike. Mr. T. M. Davis, secretary of the Seamen's Union and also of the Maritime Council, assured the miners that in the event of a strike they would have the support of all the maritime labour societies in Australasia. Mr. Davis returned to Sydney yesterday. This evening it is likely that an important meeting will be held in connection with the seamen's dispute.

A deputation from the Pressmen and Stereotypers' Union waited upon Mr. Charles Potter, Government Printer, on Friday. The object of the deputation was to explain to Mr. Potter the objects of the union. Messrs. Edward Colley (president) and R. Munroe (vice-president) spoke at some length. In reply, Mr. Potter said that he had no objection to any employee in his department becoming a member of the union. He wished the objects the founder had in view every success.

NEW SOUTH WALES TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.

The half-yearly general meeting of this association was held at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on Saturday, when there was a good attendance. The chair was occupied by the president (Mr. W. Dunshea). The board of management, in presenting their half-yearly report and balance-sheet, were pleased to be able to place before members a statement of one of the most prosperous half-years that the association had experienced. Trade (as compared with others) appeared to have been fairly brisk during the half-year, and the distress among printers from lack of employment considerably less than during January-July, 1887. No disputes of any importance had taken place, and the relations between themselves and employers were of the most friendly character. Reference to the balance-sheet showed that the financial prosperity of the association was eminently satisfactory, the assets (not including the banner) being £1144 0s. 7d., an increase on last half-year's assets of £204 5s. 1d. Subscriptions had come in freely; and a word of praise was given to the members in the Government Printing Office, whose total had doubled itself in a space of two and a-half years. The board regretted the resignation, through ill-health, of the late president (Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald), who for 12 months creditably fulfilled the responsible duties of office. The vacancy had been filled by Mr. W. Dunshea (late vice-president), Mr. Thomas Kearney being elected to the position vacated by Mr. Dunshea. The very poor condition of trades-unionism which had existed in some parts of New Zealand among compositors, and the consequent low rate of wages paid, had caused the board some anxiety, as they not only had to look after what might be termed "their own" unemployed members, but were compelled to throw open their doors to the good unionists who had to leave New Zealand through want of support from their fellow-tradesmen in maintaining a fair rate of wages. The board noted with satisfaction that the step taken by the N. S. W. Typographical Association in printing a list of union employers had been followed by the Bakers' Society. They requested members and their wives and families to abstain from purchasing goods at night time, for if all trades-unionists were to discontinue this inadvisable practice, the labour of the unfortunate employees who now have to work 60 hours per week would be considerably lessened. In a short time members would be asked to consider the new rules as revised by the board, who hoped that members would evince greater interest than hitherto in the new code, which, having to be submitted to employers before coming into operation, should be dealt with as soon as possible. The board had prepared a scheme for the initiation of an unemployed and a mortality fund, and proposed to raise the subscription to 9d. per week. The unemployed fund the board considered of especial importance, and would impress on members the fact that trade may not be always brisk, and that in times of dulness a trades union must be prepared to assist its weaker members to withstand the temptation to accept the low rate of wages which the few employers not on the society list were disposed to offer when a large number of men were observed seeking employment. On the motion of Mr. F. Martin, seconded by Mr. J. Miller, the report and balance-sheet were adopted. A discussion took place on a motion by Mr. Paul Long,—"That the association is of opinion that rule 6 of the Trades and Labour Council (every delegate, whatever organisation he may represent, shall be a financial member of the union of his own trade or occupation) should be adhered to." This was seconded by Mr. Gwynne, and carried unanimously. The remaining business was postponed.

FORMING A FURNITURE TRADES' SOCIETY.

A meeting of the employees in all branches of the furniture trade, under the auspices of the Trades and Labour Council of New South Wales, was held in the Temperance Hall on Saturday night, the object being to consider the advisability of forming a union. Mr. J. R. Talbot (president of the Trades and Labour Council) occupied the chair, supported by Mr. Ninian Melville, M.L.A. There was a fair attendance; not so many as might have been expected under the circumstances. The chairman, in opening the proceedings, said the meeting had been brought about by the Trades and Labour Council. For a long time past they had viewed with feelings of regret the unorganised state of the furniture trade, and after several meetings it was decided to hold this meeting, to submit to them for their approval the forming of the society for the protection of the trade by which they earned their livelihood. There was no trade that required protection more than the furniture trade. On the one side they were assailed by the Chinese evil, and on the other by the fiscal policy of the Government in allowing furniture to come into the country as it does, and they ought to see the urgent necessity of forming a union for the better protection of their trade. There was a difficulty in the combined furniture trade, because it consisted of three distinct branches, and he hoped that they could see the benefit to be derived from a union of the trade. Mr. M'Cartney, in moving the first resolution, viz., "That this meeting deems it advisable to form a union of all branches of the furniture trade, to be called, 'The United Furniture Trades' Society of New South Wales,'" said he thought they would agree with him in seeing the necessity of forming a society in connection with the trade. Their only hope was to unite together. They had tried it single-handed, and a failure was the result; but united, they might be of some service to themselves, and to those who were dependent upon them. Employers could at present take advantage of them, because they had no society to fall back upon. Some of their workmen, he knew, went home with weekly wages that they were ashamed to give to their wives, and a society would not only assist the men, but their employers also, in battling against foreigners, and he hoped that the meeting would result in a union being formed between them. Mr. M'Henry seconded the resolution. Mr. Ninian Melville, in supporting the motion, said he was pleased to think that they were making an effort to form a union. He would be sorry if, from the position that he occupied, he should be shut out from that union. The press had continually stated that he was an undertaker, but he would like to point out to the press that a cabinetmaker can become an undertaker. He was convinced that the cabinet trade could be worked under the eight-hour system, as well as any other trade, but with the Chinese for competitors, he really thought that it could not be worked at all, especially as there were articles in their trade imported into this colony which were made in the American prisons. There was no possibility for them at present being able to reduce their hours, and he did not suppose that there was a cabinetmaker in the colony who could command £3 per week. He said it advisedly, that a really good cabinetmaker, with his intelligence and ability, was worth £3 10s. or more a week. He was of opinion that all Chinese-made articles should be branded so that they could distinguished from colonial-made; if this was done they would find that the building would not hold the members of the cabinet trade; he wished them all prosperity in their union, and he would render all the assistance that lay in his power, either publicly or privately. The resolution was supported by Messrs. West and Lennon, and on being put to the meeting was carried unanimously. Mr. P. Coll moved, seconded by Mr. W. Murphy,—"That those present belonging to any branch of the furniture trade will kindly enrol themselves as members of this society," which was carried unanimously, and in response 60 of those present gave in their names as members. It was moved by Mr. M'Minnie, seconded by Mr. W. Murphy,—"That a deputation be appointed to wait upon the various shops and interview the employers, with a view of inducing them to join the society." Carried. A further meeting was decided to take place on Wednesday night next to make the necessary arrangements for the promotion of the society. A vote of thanks to the chairman, speakers, and press brought the proceedings to a close.

THE ALLEGED TRAMWAY FRAUDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent, W. H. Webb, in a letter in your journal of to-day's date, refers to a challenge thrown out to him some months since, to ride, if he could, six times in one day on six different trams—a much easier thing to do without risk of detection than riding upon the same tram six times in one day—with intent to evade payment. He thinks this attempt would inevitably result in his becoming an inmate of Darlinghurst gaol. Why, may I ask, would Mr. Webb be inevitably bowled out, when, according to his statement, hundreds, if not thousands, of people travel daily on the trams without paying their fares? I believe I am correct in saying that "end" cars would not admit of rapid ingress and egress for passengers, nor would they accommodate as many persons in the same sized ordinary cars. For my part, recognising the difficulty that dishonest persons would have in disposing of tickets, I have never believed there was much, if anything at all, in the late scandal.

I am, &c.,

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The bill of fare to be discussed at the second supplementary meeting of the Sydney Driving Park Club, Limited, at Moore Park on Thursday next demands the attention of owners and trainers of trotting stock, galloways, and ponies this afternoon, when at 4 o'clock entries close with Mr. F. R. Morley for the following events:—Time Handicap Trot, for a purse of 20 sovs., 2 miles; Maiden Trot, for a purse of 15 sovs., 1 mile; Handicap Galloway Race, for a purse of 15 sovs., 1 mile; Selling Galloway Race, for a purse of 20 sovs., ¾ mile, winner to be sold for £30 sovs., w.f.a.; Welter Handicap Pony Race (14 hands and under), for a purse of 15 sovs., ¾ mile; and Selling Pony Race, for a purse of 20 sovs, winner to be sold for 30 sovs., selling allowances, ¾ mile. Full particulars are published in our advertising columns, and it will be seen that the nomination fee of one sov. covers all expenses.

The adjustment of wagers over the July meeting of the Rosehill Racing Club takes place at Tattersall's rooms to-day.

The unexpected win of Lancer in the July Handicap placed Mr. T. Ivory at the head of the list of winners at Rosehill on Saturday, his share of the spoil amounting to £125; Mr. J. Monaghan follows with the even century, the result of Astraea's victory in the Auction Stakes; then come Messrs. W. J. Forrester, T. Shore, and W. Miller with £90 each, brought about by the successes of Blarney, Bellringer, and Jack, respectively; while those who had to be contented with playing second fiddle were Mr. W. Kelso £25, and Messrs. W. Duggan, H. E. Lord, and A. Campbell £10 each, making a total of £600. The stake (£400) for the trotting match, Huon v. Little Dick, was appropriated by Dr. Slate.

The weights for the handicaps to be decided at the August meeting of the Canterbury Park Race Club on Wednesday next are promised this forenoon.

Those interested should not forget that the first forfeits for the County Purse and Grand Handicap in connection with the Spring Meeting of the Hawkesbury Race Club are due on Wednesday next, and that all horses not scratched on that date will incur the usual responsibility.

The weights for the leading handicaps connected with the Winter Meeting of the Geelong (Vic.) Racing Club should see the light to-day.

Astraea changed hands after her win in the Auction Stakes at Rosehill, on Saturday, Mr. J. M'Laughlin having secured the daughter of Fergus I. for £70, all of which went to the funds of the club.

Fines of £2 2s. each were inflicted on Messrs. T. Brown and W. Miller at Rosehill on Saturday for neglecting to scratch Simon and Belvidere respectively for the July Handicap within the prescribed time; and for a similar breach of the racing canons Mr. W. Kelso had to pay the same amount for Sloth in the Welter Handicap.

An addition of £20 was made to the Distressed Jockeys' Fund on Saturday, brought about by the disobedience of J. Fielder and Cohn in the July Handicap, the former of whom was fined £10 and the latter £5; and W. Campbell £5 in the Auction Stakes. Mr. Dawson has yet to learn that fining jockeys for disobedience at the post is useless as a means of punishment, as the money does not come out of the riders' pockets. The system has had a long trial, but has failed to effect the object in view, and the only preventive for the waste of time at the post caused by anxiety of some to get away advantageously while others are in no hurry to leave, is disqualification for a term.

The Wagga Wagga Amateur Racing Club have framed a lengthy and varied programme for their next reunion, to be held on September 4. It contains nine events, including two hurdle races and a galloway flat race, and the added money totals £240.

A winning career on the turf is not always a good recommendation for a buggy horse, and the risks incurred by demeaning the racehorse to work between shafts is fairly exemplified by an incident that occurred a couple of weeks ago in the Walgett district. Mr. Staunton, the owner of Nerrurgundah, who won the Trial Stakes at the last race meeting held at Come-by-chance, on the occasion referred to, harnessed up the animal for a buggy drive, and all went well until returning from the local racecourse, when the horse bolted, and soon made a sad wreck of the buggy, from which Mr. Staunton was thrown heavily and received a severe shaking.

A cable message published elsewhere announces the result of the Eclipse Stakes, run for on the final day of the Sandown Park Second Summer meeting on Friday last. The event closed with 184 subscribers, of whom 32 remained in after payment of the forfeit due in January last, and among the latter were such celebrated performers as Merry Hampton (the Derby winner of 1887), Enterprise (winner of the Two Thousand Guineas, 1887), The Baron, Kilwarlin (winner of last year's St. Leger), Eiridspord, and the French-bred colt Krakatoa. The winner turned up in the Duke of Westminster's chestnut colt Orbit, by Bend Or from Fair Alice, by Cambuscan from Young Alice, by Young Melbourne from Sweet Hawthorn, by Sweetmeat; and the second position was filled by his stable companion, Ossory, also a son of Bend Or from Lily Agnes, by Maccaroni from Polly Agnes, by The Cure from Miss Agnes, by Birdcatcher; while the third position was occupied by Mr. F. Douglas's horse Martley, by Doncaster from Lady Margarette, by Honiton from Retreat, by Orlando. Orbit carried silk on five occasions as a two-year-old, and proved successful thrice, his first essay being in the Stockbridge Post Sweepstakes, at the Stockbridge June meeting, when he ran Simon Pure to a neck for first place. He ran unplaced in the Rous Memorial Stakes, won by Sky Pilot, at the Newmarket first October meeting. His first victory was in the Kempton Park Champion Nursery Handicap, 7 furlongs, at the Kempton Park October meeting, when he beat a field of a dozen, and he followed up his success by securing the Criterion Nursery Handicap, 6 furlongs, from a field of 11, at the Newmarket Haughton October meeting, and the Doveridge Stakes, 1 mile, from a field of four, at the Derby November meeting, when he went to the post at 4 to 1 on. Ossory, whose dam, Lily Agnes, was imported to this colony recently by the Hon. W. A. Long, only performed once as a two-year-old—in the Criterion Stakes, 6 furlongs, at the Newmarket Houghton October meeting last year, when he defeated a field of eight, and won by three parts of a length from Frondeuse, who was three lengths in front of Johnny Morgan. Martley secured two winning brackets out of five starts as a two-year-old—the Kempton Park International Breeders' Two-year-old Stakes, 5 furlongs, at the Kempton Park August meeting, and the Champion Nursery Handicap at the Kempton Park October meeting; but he failed to score a win out of five tries during the following season. The Eclipse Stakes of 1886 fell to Bendigo, the famous son of Ben Battle and Hasty Girl.

ROSEHILL RACING CLUB—JULY MEETING.

SATURDAY, JULY 28.

Stewards, Messrs. Henry Austin, E. M. Betts, William Clark, W. R. Cortis, M.D., F. W. Hill, Hon. J. Lackey, M.L.C., M. J. M'Namara, J. B. Olliffe, J. A. Scarr, W. B. Walford, J. H. Want; judge, Mr. J. B. Olliffe; starter, Mr. H. Dawson; timekeeper, Mr. T. M. Alcock; clerk of the scales, Mr. Charles Perry; clerk of the course, Mr. J. Ashworth; secretary, Mr. G. B. Rowley.

The heavy rain that fell on Friday night and continued on Saturday did not deter the Rosehill Racing Club from carrying out their July meeting, and the fact that nearly 2000 persons assembled on the course during the afternoon, goes to show that notwithstanding the constant demands on the time and resources of the sporting community, the almost certain prospect of a drenching will not keep them indoors when horseracing is to be witnessed. The course, though a trifle heavy, was little the worse for the soaking it had received, and the paddock—where the speculative public do most congregate—was covered with tan. As the afternoon wore on the rain ceased, and affairs assumed a much more pleasant aspect. The starting was just about up to the average, and the best send-off was effected in the Welter Mile, in which Mr. Dawson had a large field to manage. Mr. Austin's catering was up to the usual standard; and the intervals between the races were enlivened by the music of the Granville Band, under the direction of Mr. R. Walker. The general arrangements were carried out in a satisfactory manner by Mr. G. B. Rowley and his assistants.

Proceedings commenced with the opening heat of the trotting match between Huon and Little Dick, and the latter, who went out with odds on him, won by a length, but the win was of such a slovenly character that the succeeding heats were regarded as a foregone conclusion for Huon, and no interest was taken in the matter while the trotters amused themselves between the intervals of the legitimate business. It has been said that Australians do not understand trotting and, if Saturday's exhibition can be accepted as a true sample of that kind of sport, it is better that they should remain in ignorance upon the subject. On the strength of his previous Rosehill and Newcastle running, Hoppicker was elected favourite for the Republican Handicap, but he was never really in the fray, and, after Iona had made a deal of running, Savant was left at the front, only to be cut down in the run home by Blarney, who won easily. Bound and Glenvale were most in request for the Hurdle Race, but although the former ran a good horse, and was only just stalled off by Bellringer at the end. Glenvale never showed prominently, and only managed to struggle into third place at the finish. Garnet and Exchange fell, and Talbot, the rider of the former, had his collar-bone broken. A fine field of 23 went to the post for the July Handicap, and after a bad start, and a great many chances had taken place, during the journey, Lancer came through at the half distance, and, fairly galloping over his horses, won easily. It is a long time since Mr. Ivory's colours have been carried to the front, and though Lancer had not been backed to any extent, the win was well received. The Auction Stakes was regarded as such a moral for The Miner that odds were laid on him; but the great pace at which he was taken away soon got him into difficulties, and Astraea won easily from Iona. The winner was put up for auction after the race, and was purchased by Mr. M'Laughlin for £70, and at that she reads like a bargain, for when a two-year-old her form was about equal to that of Matchlock. As soon as it became known that Norton was to pilot Marlborough in the Welter Mile, the son of Stamford shortened down to 2 to 1. but he quite failed to stay it out, and the layers of odds got a final good turn by Jack unexpectedly rattling home in front. The following is an account of the racing:—

TROTTING MATCH, for 400 sovs.; mile heats; best 2 in 3.

FIRST HEAT.

Mr. J. Goodsell's b g Little Dick, by Daniel Boon, aged (Brooks) ... 1
Dr. Slate's b h Huon, by Almont, jun., aged (Starr) ... 2

Betting: 2 to 1 on Little Dick.

Little Dick was the first to show in front, and soon established a lead of half a dozen lengths. In that order they entered the straight, where Little Dick broke on several occasions, and in the run home Huon was catching the favourite very fast, but the latter passed the post a length to the good. Time, 2 minutes 50 seconds.

SECOND HEAT.

Huon ... 1
Little Dick ... 2

Betting: Any odds on Huon.

Little Dick again assumed the lead, which he maintained for half the distance, when he broke several times. Huon then went to the front, and led round the bend by half a dozen lengths. In the straight Little Dick broke repeatedly, and Huon came home the easiest of winners by 20 lengths. Time, 2 minutes 43 seconds.

THIRD HEAT.

Huon ... 1
Little Dick ... 2

Little Dick made the pace to the 5 furlong post, where he broke, and Huon never left the result in doubt afterwards, winning easily by 10 lengths. Time, 2 minutes 47 seconds.

THE REPUBLICAN HANDICAP, of 100 sovs.; second horse, 10 sovs. from the prize—6 furlongs.

Mr. W. J. Forrester's ch h Blarney, by Marvellous—Beeswing, 3 years, 8st. 7lb. (Leadbeater) ... 1
Mr. W. Duggan ns br c Savant, 2 years, 6st. 7lb. (M. Dunhey) ... 2
Mr. W. Rouse's b g Hoppicker, 4 years, 6st. 9lb. (W. Delaney) ... 3
Mr. T. Brown's ch g Simon, 4 years, 8st. (C. Moore) ... 0
Mr. H. E. Lord's b g Tilburn, 5 years, 7st. 9lb. (J. Delaney) ... 0
Mr. T. Ivory's b g Lancer, aged, 7st. 9lb. (Seily) ... 0
Mr. T. Sampson's b f Maggie, 2 years, 7st. 5lb. (Argall) ... 0
Mr. Thos. M'Alister ns b c Rosethorn, 3 years, 7st. (M. Riley) ... 0
Mr. J. Earnshaw's ch m Iona, 5 years, 7st. (M'Auliffe) ... 0
Mr. B. R. Harris's blk g Viper, aged, 6st. 7lb. (J. Fielder) ... 0
Mr. W. Foulsham's b g Fearer, 5 years, 6st. 4lb., including 4lb. over (M'Cormack) ... 0

Betting: 5 to 2 v. Hoppicker, 5 to 1 each v. Savant and Blarney, 6 to 1 each v. Viper and Rosethorne, 10 to 1 v. any other.

At about the fourth attempt the field was sent away to a bad start, Iona and Hoppicker being the smartest on their legs. Iona soon established a lead of a couple of lengths, but when three furlongs from home Savant cut her down and led her into the straight, and after the pair succeeded Blarney and the favourite. Blarney ran to the front at the distance, and won cleverly by nearly two lengths from Savant, who beat Hoppicker by half a length for second place. Iona was fourth, a length off, and then came Lancer, Simon, and Tilburn, with Rosethorn and Fearer acting as whippers-in. Time, 1 minute 18 seconds.

THE HURDLE RACE, a handicap of 100 sovs. Second horse 10 sovs. from the prize. 2½ miles.

Mr. T. Shore's b g Bellringer, 5 years, 9st. 9lb. (Hatch) ... 1
Mr. H. E. Lord's b g Bound, 5 years, 11st. 3lb. (Keighran) ... 2
Mr. J. Payten's b g Glenvale, 4 years, 10st. 5lb. (Geoghan) ... 3
Mr. W. Miller ns ch or rn g Garnet, aged, 11st. (S. Talbot) ... 0
Mr. G. Carter's b g Saturn, 5 years, 9st. 7lb. (J. Cornwell) ... 0
Mr. John Kerr's b g Yadbro, 4 years, 9st. 5lb. (Farley) ... 0
Mr. H. Bennett's br h Wayfarer, aged, 9st. 3lb. (Threadgate) ... 0
Mr. R. M. Morris ns ch g Exchange, 5 years, 9st. 6lb., including 3lb. over, (Jones) ... 0
Mr. W. James's gr m Sweetbriar, aged, 9st. 2lb., including 2lb. over, (Young) ... 0

Betting: 6 to 4 v. Bound, 5 to 2 v. Glenvale, 5 to 1 v. Bellringer, 6 to 1 v. Garnet, 7 to 1 each v. Saturn and Exchange.

As soon as they settled into their places Exchange took up the running, and, attended by Glenvale, Yadbro, and Bellringer, led to the entrance to the straight, when he gave place to Wayfarer, who showed the way past the stand, followed by Bellringer, Saturn, Bound, and the others on fair terms. Bellringer joined Wayfarer at the far side of the course, and, disposing of him at the bend, turned into the straight for the second time, with Bound and Garnet hard upon him. Glenvale made his effort at the distance, and, Garnet and Exchange coming to grief at the second last fence, Bellringer beat Bound by a clear length. Glenvale was eight lengths off, and then succeeded Yadbro, Wayfarer, Sweetbriar, and Saturn. Time, 4 minutes 34½ seconds.

THE JULY HANDICAP, of 200 sovs. Second horse 25 sovs. from the prize. 1 mile 1 furlong.

Mr. T. Ivory's b g Lancer, by Westminster—Linnet, aged, 7st. 4lb. (Seily) ... 1
Mr. W. Kelso's b g Sloth, aged, 8st. 4lb. (Williams) ... 2
Mr. A. Campbell's ch h Albanus, 5 years, 6st. 8lb. (W. Delaney) ... 3
Hon. W. A. Long's gr h Monte Christo, 5 years, 8st. 9lb. (E. Gorry) ... 0
Mr. H. Roberts' br h Leichhardt, 4 years, 8st. 4lb. (M. Gallagher) ... 0
Mr. T. Sampson's blk g Frisco, 4 years, 8st. 4lb. (F. Smith) ... 0
Mr. W. J. Forrester's ch m Folly, 6 years, 7st. 11lb. (Vann) ... 0
Mr. W. Kelso's br g Southerly Buster, 3 years, 7st. 7lb. (Campbell) ... 0
Mr. F. M'Quade's ch g Victory, 5 years, 7st. 8½lb., including 1½lb. over (Steeper) ... 0
Mr. W. Kelso's ch m Elsie, 5 years, 7st. 4lb. (M'Auliffe) ... 0
Mr. W. Miller's b h Desmond, 6 years, 7st. 4lb. (Huxley) ... 0
Mr. W. Duggan ns b f Amina, 2 years, 7st. 2lb. (Dunbey) ... 0
Mr. J. Allsop's ch h Allandale, 5 years, 7st. 2lb. (M. Skehan) ... 0
Mr. John Lee's, jun., ch g The Hypocrite, 4 years, 7st. 2lb., including 2lb. over (Argall) ... 0
Mr. J. Wilkinson's b g Marlborough, 5 years, 6st. 12lb. (Fielder) ... 0
Mr. A. E. Cornwell's b m Marinea, 4 years, 6st. 10lb. (J. Delaney) ... 0
Mr. E. S. Rowe ns ch m Butterfly, 4 years, 6st. 10lb. (J. Noud) ... 0
Mr. James Monaghan ns b c Cinaron, 2 years, 6st. 8lb. (Parker) ... 0
Mr. John Phillips's gr f Faith, 3 years, 6st. 6lb. (M'Nulty) ... 0
Mr. H. Giltinan's, jun., ns ch g Hugo, 5 years, 6st. 12lb., including 6lb. over (M. Riley) ... 0
Mr. B. R. Harris's b g Teddy Yuille, 4 years, 6st. 6lb. (Cohn) ... 0
Mr. G. B. Rowley's br c Bluenose, 2 years, 6st. 4lb. (M'Cormark) ... 0
Mr. T. Lamond's ch g Paymaster, 2 years, 6st. (Strickland) ... 0

Betting: 5 to 2 v. Monte Christo, 4 to 1 v. Victory, 5 to 1 v. Albanus, 7 to 1 each v. Southerly Buster, Marlborough, and Butterfly; 8 to 1 v. Amina; 10 to 20 to 1 v. any other.

After considerable delay the signal was given to an indifferent start, and the first to move were Lancer and Butterfly, who jumped off clear of Marlborough, Southerly Buster, Leichhardt, Albanus, and Teddy Yuille. When passing the mile post Marlborough was in front, with Teddy Yuille, Butterfly, Hugo, Amina, and Victory as his immediate attendants, and Lancer and Monte Christo in the centre of the ruck. Marlborough melted away when half-way round the bend, and Amina making a great run, appeared at the front, with Butterfly, Monte Christo, Sloth, and Albanus next, in close order. The leaders boxed up at the distance, where Victory fell, and Lancer, coming through his horses as though they were anchored, won easily at the end by about a length and a half from Sloth, who was closely followed by Albanus, and then came Monte Christo, Southerly Buster, Elsie, Teddy Yuille, Amina, Faith, and Marlborough. Time, 1 minute 57 seconds.

THE AUCTION STAKES, of 100 sovs.—For three years old and upwards. Weight for age. The winner to be sold for 100 sovs. Seven furlongs.

Mr. J. Monaghan ns b m Astraea, by Fergus I.—a Trump Card mare (nil), 5 years, 6st. 12lb. (J. Fielder) ... 1
Mr. J. Earnshaw's ch m Iona (nil), 5 years, 6st. 12lb. (M'Auliffe) ... 2
Mr. W. Kelso's ch g The Miner (nil), 4 years, 6st. 11lb. (Campbell) ... 3
Mr. E. S. Rowe ns br h Kingcraft (nil), 5 years, 7st. (Murphy) ... 0
Mr. Will Thompson's ch h Young Kingston (nil), 4 years, 7st. 14lb., including 14lb. over (Argall) ... 0
Mr. W. Lloyd's ch m Golddust (nil), aged, 6st. 12lb. (J. Noud) ... 0
Mr. W. Brennan ns b g Sydney (nil), 6 years, 6st. 11lb. (M. Riley) ... 0

Betting: 6 to 4 on The Miner, 4 to 1 each v. Young Kingston and Astraea, 10 to 1 v. any other.

Iona made the running until just before entering the straight, when Astraea went to the front, and, holding her own, defeated Iona very easily by a long length. The Miner was three lengths away, and was followed by Young Kingston, Kingcraft, Golddust, and Sydney. Time, 1 minute 32½ seconds.

THE WELTER MILE, a handicap of 100 sovs. Second horse 10 sovs. from the prize.—1 mile.

Mr. W. Miller ns g g Jack, by The Drummer, 4 years, 9st. 4lb. (J. Williams) ... 1
Mr. A. Campbell's ch h Albanus, 5 years, 9st. 6lb. (Nerricker) ... 2
Mr. S. W. Knight's ch h Albion, 4 years, 8st. 8lb. (J. Fielder) ... 3
Mr. A. E. Cornwell's br h Uppercut, 5 years, 10st. 7lb. (J. Cornwell) ... 0
Mr. E. S. Rowe ns blk h Resolve, 5 years, 10st. 3lb. (Rhodes) ... 0
Mr. J. Wilkinson's b g Marlborough, 5 years, 9st. 12lb. (J. Norton) ... 0
Mr. R. M. Morris ns b g Nitrogen, 4 years, 9st. 10lb. (M'Neill) ... 0
Mr. H. Roberts' b m Queen Victoria, 5 years, 9st. 10lb. (Threadgate) ... 0
Mr. A. E. Cornwell's b m Marinea, 4 years, 9st. 8lb. (Vano) ... 0
Mr. W. Giltinan, jun., ns ch g Hugo, 5 years, 9st. 6lb. (R. Ellis) ... 0
Mr. F. Sandon ns b h The Bass, 5 years, 9st 4lb (M. Gallagher) ... 0
Mr. J. Swan's ch m Elly O'Connor, 4 years, 9st. 4lb. (Moncrieff) ... 0
Mr. Thos. M'Alister ns b c Rosethorn, 3 years, 8st. 12lb. (G. Clark) ... 0
Mr. B. R. Harris's blk g Viper, aged, 8st. 10lb. (M. Riley) ... 0
Mr. F. Longford ns br or blk g Attraction, 5 years, 8st. 10lb., including 4lb. over (R. Longford) ... 0
Mr. W. Foulsham's b g Fearer, 5 years, 8st. 2lb. (J. Driscoll) ... 0
Mr. W. Lloyd's blk m Whisper Low, aged, 8st. (W. Williams) ... 0
Mr. R. M. Morris ns b g Roberto, 3 years, 7st. 9lb. (J. Gough) ... 0
Mr. E. Key's b f Thetis, 2 years, 7st. 7lb. (H. Evans) ... 0
Mr. T. Ivory's blk g Royal Arch, 2 years, 7st. 7lb. (Seily) ... 0

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Marlborough, 5 to 1 v. The Bass, 6 to 1 each v. Uppercut and Albanus, 8 to 1 v. Jack, 10 to 1 each v. Whisper Low and Hugo, 15 to 20 to 1 v. any other.

Marlborough, Rosethorn, and Upper Cut got a trifle the best of a good start, and Rosethorn, running to the front at the six furlongs post, led for a couple of hundred yards, when Fearer appeared in command with Whisper Low, Albanus, Marlborough, Albion, and The Bass showing most prominently of the others. Albion then went to the front for a moment, but soon gave place to Marlborough, who led into the straight, but he died away at the distance, and Albanus and Albion were left at the front. Jack caught them in the run home and won comfortably by four lengths from Albanus, who was attended by Albion, Upper Cut, The Bass, Marinea, Whisper Low, Hugo, and Rosethorn; while Fearer and Elly O'Connor were amongst the last to finish. Time, 1 minute 47 seconds.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIAN CLUB RACE MEETING.

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

There was a very large gathering at the Caulfield racecourse on Saturday, on the occasion of the Victorian Club meeting. The weather was delightful. The following are the results:—

HURDLE RACE—about 1¾ miles.

Mr. A. Forbes' The Victim, 11st. 8lb. (Corrigan) ... 1
Mr. J. Tomkin's Bonnie Chester, 10st. 7lb. (H. Watson) ... 2
Mr. H. Smith's Summer, 9st. (P. Keating) ... 3

Oculist, Ballarat, Stirling, Incident, Honor Bright, Monbulk, and Glenlivet, also started.

Betting: 6 to 4 v. The Victim, 4 to 1 v. Oculist, 7 to 1 v. Stirling; 10 to 1 v. Honour Bright and Summer.

Victim showed the road over the first hurdle. Ballarat fell over this hurdle. The hurdle near the turn brought down Oculist, whose rider was severely shaken, but he was not seriously injured. At the hurdle near the railway Honor Bright fell. Stirling then took up the running, the favourite lying second. In the straight Victim came away, and won easily by four lengths, Summer a length away. Time, 3 minutes 38 seconds.

TWO-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP—4½ furlongs.

Mr. C. Collins's John S., 7st. 2lb. (Hayes) ... 1
Mr. O. Barnett's Tourbillon, 8st. 8lb. (Dundon) ... 2
Mr. S. Miller's Gentian, 7st. 7lb. (Turner) ... 3

The other starters were—Hegira, Salisbury, Firelock, Quadrant, J. H., Lady in Waiting, Propounder, La Favourita, Rosicrucian, Haste, Henrietta, Little Rosa, and Tue.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Tourbillon, 7 to 1 v. Haste and True, 10 to 1 v. Propounder and John S.

John S. was the first to show in front. In the straight the favourite made a strong effort to overtake John S., but the latter shook him off and won comfortably by three-quarters of a length, Gentian two lengths and a half away. Time, 1 minute 1½ seconds.

VICTORIA CLUB CUP—1¼ mile and a distance.

Mr. P. Bolger's Frolic, 8st. 5lb. (Bolger) ... 1
Mr. J. B. Gill's Le Roy, 7st. 6lb., carried 7st. 9lb. (O'Brien) ... 2
Mr. H. Hoysted's Vermont, 8st. (Power) ... 3

King of the West, Straight Shot, Murmur, Mossiface, Bolingbroke, and Rouge et Noire also ran.

Betting: 2 to 1 v. Leroy, 3 to 1 v. Frolic, 5 to 1 v. Vermont, 7 to 1 v. Bolingbroke, 8 to 1 v. King of the West and Straight Shot, 10 to 1 v. Rouge et Noir.

Vermont led away, but before passing the stand Mossiface had the lead. At the back of the course Bolingbroke took the lead. Approaching the railway Frolic assumed the lead. A fine finish ensued, Frolic, holding his own, won by a head, Vermont being a head away third. Time, 2 minutes 31½ seconds.

SELLING RACE—five furlongs.

Mr. Cohen's Derision, 6st. 9lb. (Morrison) ... 1
Mr. E. Weeks' Faugh-a-Ballagh, 6st. 9lb. (Dundon) ... 2
Mr. W. J. Leverett's Hogmanay, 7st. 9lb. (Howie) ... 3

Gaylad, Autocrat, Flame, and Winnie also ran.

Betting: Even on Derision, 6 to 1 v. any other.

Flame got the best of the start, and led for a short distance, but soon gave way to the favourite, who showed into the straight and won easily by a length and a-half, Hogmanay two and a-half lengths away. Time, 1 minute 4½ seconds.

STEEPLECHASE—about 2 miles.

Mr. C. Kruska's Mineral, 10st. (Masters) ... 1
Mr. T. Corrigan's Kildare, 12st. 13lb. (Corrigan) ... 2
Mr. W. Glasscock's Maud, 10st. 2lb. (Newlands) ... 3

The other starters were—Irishman, Curiosity, Marksman, Beadsman, Coolart, Banker, Roulette, Dandy.

Betting: 5 to 4 v. Kildare, 5 to 1 v. Irishman, 8 to 1 v. Coolart, Mineral, and Dandy, 7 to 1 v. Marksman.

Mineral led Kildare by a length into the straight. The weight told on the favourite, and Mineral won by four lengths. Time, 4 minutes 12 seconds.

FLYING HANDICAP—5½ furlongs.

Mr. R. B. Pell's Eyrey (late Osprey, late Rar One), 7st. 10lb. (Moffett) ... 1
Mr. J. T. Carslake's Surprise, 7st. 8lb. (Blair) ... 2
Mr. Halley's Teuton, 7st. 5lb. (Power) ... 3

The other starters were—The Forsaken, Peter Burns (late Master John), Sambour, Approbation, Sunshade, Jean, Digby Grand, Strife, Boadicea, Bridegroom, Olive, Faithful, Rosewood, and Little Rosa.

Betting: 4 to 1 v. Eyrey and Surprise, 6 to 1 v. Teuton, 10 to 1 v. Peter Burns and Olive.

Surprise led into the straight, Teuton and Eyrey being second and third. Eyrey came full of running, and, after a capital finish, beat Surprise by three-quarters of a length. Time, 1 minute 11½ seconds.

GOULBURN COURSING MEETING.

GOULBURN, SATURDAY.

The coursing meeting was brought to a conclusion today. The weather was threatening. The attendance was very poor. The sport, however, was good. The hares ran strongly, and very few were killed. The slipping again gave satisfaction, but two or three of Grogin's decisions as judge did not find favour with the public. The following are the results:—

LOCAL STAKE, winner £12, runner-up £6; two dogs, £1.

FIRST TIES (CONTINUED).
Bashful Maid beat Hope | Goulburn ran a bye.
Brian Boru beat Merry Maid

SECOND TIES.
Legislator beat Bashful Maid | Goulburn beat Brian Boru.
Go Bye beat Saturn

THIRD TIES.
Goulburn beat Legislator | Go Bye ran a bye.

DECIDING COURSE.
Mr. J. Kelly's bk w d Goulburn, by Montrose—Glide, beat Mr. C. C. Gibson's rd w fn d Go Bye, by Xidon—Fedora.

ST. LEGER.
Mr. G. R. Darnes ns fn w d Bonanza, by Will o' the Wisp—Gazelle, beat Mr. H. O'Donnell ns br w b Quickstep, by Pickwick—Garnet.
Mr. H. Taylor, jun.'s, bk w b Figtree, by Crab Tree—Shade, ran a bye.

DECIDING COURSE.
Figtree beat Bonanza.

PRESIDENT'S PURSE, for dogs beaten in the first round of the President's Stake; winner, £5; runner-up, £2.

FIRST TIES.
Socrates beat Bowler | Checkmate beat Zulu
Bligh beat Raven

SECOND TIES.
Checkmate beat Socrates | Bligh ran a bye.

DECIDING COURSE.
Mr. S. Bladon's blk w d Bligh, by Sarcherdon—Victory, beat Mr. T. Coyle's bk w d Checkmate, by Thirlmere—Needle.

PRESIDENT'S STAKE, winner a gold chronograph value £30, and £13; runner-up, £8; two dogs, £2.

SECOND TIES.
Tily Morrison beat Black Moon | Bravo was drawn
Brisbane Grove beat Ristori | Oughterside ran a bye.

THIRD TIES.
Tily Morison was drawn | Byes were dispensed with.

DECIDING COURSE.
Mr. G. R. Bane's fn d Brisbane Grove, by Pretender—Dinah, beat Mr. F. Morris's fn w d Oughterside, by Sentry-go—Hauteur.

BICYCLE CHAMPIONSHIP OF AUSTRALIA.

NEWCASTLE, SUNDAY.

The long-talked of bicycle races, distances 1, 3, and 5 miles, between George Wiburd, of Bathurst, and Sam Clarke, of Scotland, for £50 a-side and the championship of Australia, took place on the local cricket ground yesterday afternoon. Owing to the inclement weather there was only a small attendance. The 5 mile event was run first, and was won by Clarke by 4 yards in 16 minutes 59 seconds. The 1 mile race was next run. Wiburd won by 18 inches in 3 minutes 7½ seconds. The 3 mile was won by Clarke by 1 foot in 9 minutes 59½ seconds. All the races were very exciting, especially the two last. Wiburd intends to make another match. Mr. C. Hannell acted as judge, and Mr. Walter Sidney as timekeeper.

INTERCOLONIAL FOOTBALL MATCH.

An intercolonial match was played on Saturday, on the Association Cricket Ground, between teams representing New South Wales and Victoria, playing under British Association rules. Victoria won by two goals to one. The following were the teams:—New South Wales: Goal, Logan; backs, Baillie left wing, Kilpatrick right wing; half-backs, Edgar left, Hitchen centre, Picken right; forwards, Graham and Thompson left, Sorlie centre, M'Crorie and Pringle right. Victoria: Goal, Lockhead; backs, M'Pherson left, Amson right; half backs, Tunnicliff right, Bryan centre, Clark left; forwards, Nicholson and Miller right, Ross centre, Armour and Parnell left. Owing to the rain in the forenoon the attendance consisted almost entirety of some club members. The ground was in a very unsuitable condition for football, being very slippery, and also covered in parts with top dressing, which clogged the players' boots, and rendered quick play a matter of great difficulty. Several members of the teams are not unknown to fame at home. Edgar, for instance, is an old Oxonian, while among the Victorians Miller has played for Glasgow against Sheffield, and Armour has also played against Ireland. The play owing to the state of the ground was not altogether brilliant, but there was a great deal of steady honest work done. New South Wales had certainly the upper hand in the first part of the game, Edgar and Kilpatrick playing up splendidly. The stubborn defence of the Victorians with Lockhead in goal helped to ward off defeat, and although New South Wales had by far the most shots at goal, the Victorian citadel was too well guarded to be easily taken. The combined play on both sides was good, although now and again there were occasions when individual dribbles might have been sacrificed. There was also an occasional tendency to dribble the ball too far down the wing before middling, and the effectiveness of the shots were thereby impaired. Victoria won the toss and New South Wales kicked off. Parnell opened with a good dribble down the western wing and then kicked at goal, Baillie heading the ball back. Hitchen put in a good kick in the centre, Miller dribbled along the eastern wing and middled, and Picken headed the ball away. Pringle followed with a dribble, and M'Pherson kicked back, Clark at length kicking out of bounds. Picken threw in and Hitchen kicked back, a foul being awarded against Victoria shortly afterwards. Baillie took the kick and sent it well up to the goal. It was headed back, but Graham being in a good position, headed it through, and first goal was claimed for New South Wales, after about 10 minutes' play. The game being resumed, Amson sent the ball into New South Wales territory with a fine kick, but Clark returned it with another. Play was maintained close to the Victorian line, and the ball was at length kicked behind. When it was kicked out the scene changed to the other end, and a foul was given against New South Wales, but nothing came of the kick. Sorlie dribbled the ball up to the Victorian line, but Tunnicliff relieved his lines smartly. A hard kick by M'Crorie sent the ball over the Victorian line. When it was kicked out a foul was given against the defenders, and Baillie took the kick, from which a corner was claimed, but not allowed. Armour made a beautiful dribble on the western wing, charging down a couple of opponents on his way. Miller and Ross assisted him when he got into the New South Wales territory, and Miller put the ball between the posts, thus making the score one goal each. The ball being kicked off Parnell dribbled well down the western wing, and Edgar headed back, a foul being given against Victoria. Baillie took the kick, and sent it behind the goal. Out of some spirited play Clark kicked away well towards the New South Wales goal. Picken and Tunnicliff headed the ball about cleverly, and it went out of bounds. Miller dribbled and passed to Nicholson, but the latter was stopped by Baillie, and the ball went out. Miller dribbled neatly down the wing, but Kilpatrick came to the rescue and kicked out of bounds. The ball was quickly brought to the New South Wales goal again, and once more Kilpatrick kicked away on the wing. Sorlie, Thompson, and Graham took the ball to the Victorian goal with clever dribbles and well-concerted passes, and M'Crorie had a shot at goal, but just missed. Sorlie had another shot just after, but the ball only went behind. Once more the Victorian citadel was attacked, and Sorlie passing to M'Crorie the latter put in a well-directed kick, but M'Pherson stopped it. Play was maintained in the Victorian quarters till Amson at length headed the ball towards the eastern wing, whence it was taken away to the New South Wales goal. Hitchen made a fine hard kick which sent the ball well away, but the Victorians quickly worked it back. Ross dribbled along the eastern wing, and then middled; some exciting skirmishing following around the New South Wales goal, until Baillie came to the rescue with a good kick. A kick by Graham was followed by a corner for New South Wales, but Edgar's kick did not bring about any beneficial result. M'Crorie dribbled close to the Victorian line, but he kept possession too long instead of middling quickly, and accomplished nothing. Once more he got possession, and put in a good kick, but this time Lockhead saved cleverly. The Victorians then pressed their opponents and claimed a corner, which was not, however, allowed. The ball was worked away, and Miller dribbled it back and made a long pass to Parnell, who, after a smart skirmish, scored second goal for Victoria. Scores: Victoria 2, New South Wales 1. The ball being again kicked off, Graham made a rather wild shot at goal, which went over the bar. Edgar kicked well in the centre, and Hitchen returned. Nicholson kicked the ball over the New South Wales bar from the wing, and a foul was given against Victoria. Baillie took the kick, and the ball went behind. Half-time was then called. On resuming the ball was kept for some time in the centre of the ground until Thompson and Graham took it down the western wing close to the Victorian goal. It was worked back, and Kilpatrick kicked well away, Amson heading it back. Pringle had a chance close to the Victorion goal, but kicked over the bar. Thompson got the ball on the western wing, and it was kicked out of bounds. Miller dribbled, and then passed on to Nicholson, who made a rather wild shot at goal without success. The Victorians worked the ball down the field, and Baillie kicked back. Hitchen headed well, and Thompson passed out to Graham, who could not, however, get the ball away. Thompson passed to Picken, who made a hard shot at goal, but the ball went over the bar. Play was carried on around the Victorian goal until a foul was given against New South Wales, and the ball was then kicked away. Kilpatrick returned, and Nicholson took a shot at goal, which just went clear of the post. Logan took a flying shot at the ball as it came to him, and missed it. An exciting bit of play followed around the New South Wales goal, and Sorlie headed the ball smartly twice close to the posts, but was unfortunate in his direction. Graham got the ball on the western wing, and passed to Thompson, who, however, dribbled it too far down the wing, and consequently lost the chance for a good middle. Play followed in the New South Wales territory. Edgar dribbled and passed to Graham, who middled, but the strong defence of the Victorians enabled them to get the ball away safely, and finally secure a corner of which nothing came. M'Crorie put in a good kick on the eastern wing, and Lockhead fisted the ball back from goal. Thompson made another good kick which sent the ball over the bar. Play followed around the Victorian goal, until the ball went out on the western wing. New South Wales obtained a corner, but the Victorians maintained their defence. Edgar headed the ball very cleverly, and a corner followed to Victoria. Parnell took the kick, but he greatly overdid the screw and the ball went behind. A foul was awarded against Victoria, and Baillie took the kick, but the direction was bad. Lively play followed around the Victorian goal, and at length the ball was kicked out of bounds. The Victorians dribbled the ball cleverly along until Thompson rescued it from them, and with the assistance of Graham worked the ball right down to the Victorian goal, but without success. Once more Thompson got possession, but he carried the ball rather too far down the wing. Edgar kicked the ball along the ground, and the ball passed just outside the goal post. M'Crorie got the ball on the wing and tried to middle, but kicked rather too hard and the ball went behind. Baillie kicked to the Victorian goal, but put too much power into the shot and the ball went behind, time being called shortly after. Mr. Irvine acted as umpire for New South Wales, Mr. Bisiker for Victoria, and Mr. J. Wallace, president of the New South Wales Association, was referee, the three gentlemen discharging their duties in an able and impartial manner. A banquet was tendered in the evening to the members of the Victorian team at the Great Northern Hotel, by the Southern British Football Association. Mr. John Wallace (president) occupied the chair. After the toasts of "The Queen" and "Governor" had been honoured, the chairman proposed "The Association Game," and alluded to its many genuine features as a game of football, concluding by saying that he believed in a few years' time it would occupy a prominent place in the colonies. The toasts of "The Victorian Association" and "New South Wales Association" were drunk with enthusiasm, after which the chairman proposed "The Visiting Team," coupled with the name of the captain, Mr. Amson, who responded, and proposed the toast of "The New South Wales Team," to which the captain, Mr. Baillie, responded. The other toasts proposed were "The Umpires and Referees," "Press," "Ladies," "Hon. Sec. Southern British Football Association," and "Chairman." The proceedings were varied by singing, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

The following team has been selected to represent the suburban clubs to play against Victoria on the Association Cricket Ground, to-day:—Goal, J. Ranicer; backs, W. Baillie, W. Parker; half-backs, A. Picken, R. Hitchens (captain), W. H. Edgar; forwards, J. S. Kerr, A. Stephen, J. Sorlie, E. Lusk, W. Ewing; emergencies, T. Barringham, G. Farley, F. Hoole; referee, M. N. J. M'Donald; umpires, Messrs. W. Herron and W. Bisiker. On Tuesday, the City Clubs, playing against Victoria, will be represented by the following team:—Goal, J. Logan; backs, W. M'Millan, R. Macalpine; half-backs, C. H. Browning, J. Thompson (captain), J. Campbell; forwards, J. Murray, D. S. Walker, A. Thom, C. P. Stephen, A. Irvines; emergencies, T. M'Creadie, J. Graham, P. M'Callum; referee, Mr. J. M'Gregor, umpires, Messrs. J. Sealbrook and W. Bisiker.

FOOTBALL.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

Rosedale and University met on the Agricultural Society's ground. University quickly acted on the offensive, and off a mark Colquhoun took an unsuccessful place at goal. The same player marked the return, but failed once more. After some scrimmaging in the centre Flynn took a drop at goal, and Rosedale forced. The latter then visited their opponents' territory, and University declining to force when the ball went over the line, a scrimmage was formed close to goal. Play was maintained in the University territory for a considerable time, but the defenders at length worked the ball away, and Neill picking up, got close to the Rosedale line before he was blocked. Watkins cleared his lines, but University brought the ball back, and Barbour dribbled over, but the Rosedales were in time to save. Once more they were obliged to submit to a force, and later on considered it advisable to kick into touch in goal, the half-time being called without either side having scored. In the second half Tange secured a touch for the University, and Baylis converted it into goal. Neill then made a good run, and touched down almost directly behind the goal posts, Baylis once more being successful with his kick. A third try was obtained by Abbott, Baylis, as before, doing the needful, and the game terminated in favour of University by 15 points to 0.

Arfoma beat Newtown on the Agricultural Society's Ground by 11 points to 0. Arfoma quickly had the ball down close to their opponents line, but Newtown managed to carry the scrimmage. Hillyar dribbed the ball along in good style, and picking up got close to the Newtown line before he was stopped, but Walker following on, secured the ball and obtained a try, Ebsworth missing the shot at goal. After the kick out, Hale made a good run, and when tackled passed to Sefton, who made a splendid run, and secured second try, although well-tackled in goal by Maitland. Once more the kick at goal was not a success. No further scores were made up to half-time. On resuming, Moulton made a good drop, but his direction was not quite true, and Arfoma forced. A second shot by Moulton had a similar result. Clarkson at last got over the Arfoma line, and a maul in goal with Perry followed, the result being that Clarkson was dragged out into the field of play. A scrimmage was formed on the line, and, the ball going over, Arfoma forced. Hale secured a mark in front of the Newtown goal, and Ebsworth took a place off it, but without success. Off a pass from F. Hillyar, H. Hillyar secured a touch, but the kick at goal did not increase the scores. Sefton then made a good run, and scored another try, Ebsworth converting it into goal. The whistle sounded for the termination of play shortly afterwards, no further scores having been made.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

The following were the principal football matches played on Saturday:—Carlton, by five goals 11 behinds, beat Fitzroy one goal eight behinds. South Melbourne, seven goals 19 behinds, beat Melbourne three goals eight behinds. Essendon, seven goals 16 behinds, beat England three goals five behinds. Port Melbourne, five goals 11 behinds, beat Richmond four goals three behinds. In the Carlton v. Fitzroy, Cook, a member of the former team, received a heavy fall just before the close of the game, and was carried off the field. It is feared he has sustained a serious injury to the leg. At Ballarat South, Ballarat obtained four goals against Ballarat Imperial.

HOBART, SUNDAY.

Geelong played North Tasmania at Launceston yesterday. Geelong obtained 5 goals 7 behinds to Tasmania's 1 goal 6 behinds.

CYCLING.

The Crusaders C. C. Open-road Handicap, from Rose Bay to the South Head Lighthouse, a distance of about three miles came off on Saturday afternoon. The wet weather which set in on Friday evening made it a matter of some uncertainty in the morning whether the race would be held, but it was decided to go on with it, and no less then 17 out of the 26 entrants put in an appearance, but the weather prevented the attendance of hardly any other than the competitors. Under the circumstances the road was very heavy and sticky, but the handicapping and the fact of there being no less than seven prizes, brought about a splendid race, the prize-winners being A. Fry, Sydney B. C., 1min. 30sec. start, 1; W. M. Palmer, Crusaders, 1min. 10sec., 2; R. East, Redfern, 1min. 46sec., 3; R. Russell, Rovers, 1min., 4; G. W. Whatmore, St. Leonards, 50sec., 5; G. Toombs, Redfern, 1min. 30sec., 6; M. Long, Summer Hill, 20sec., 7. The other starters were G. Warre, W. Jones, J. W. Baird, A. Saunders, G. Bloxham, H. Hund, W. H. Poole, W. G. M'Keellar, R. W. Sippe, and C. A. Younger. The limit man, Sippe, came to grief before getting to the hill. Hund came off at the first rise, and M'Kellar had to take a rest shortly after. Fry and Toombs, who started together, kept close company for a mile and a-half, from which point Fry forged ahead, and passing Saunders, got the lead going up the last stage of the hill. About this point the back mark division got among the long start men, and Palmer passing East got within about 25 yards of Fry, but the latter got away again and won by about 80 yards, the next six men all being within a few yards of each other. Mark Long, the virtual scratch man, is a new rider, and rode a splendid race. He rather naturally grumbled that in his first race he should be placed on so short a mark, but the result showed that the handicappers' estimate of his ability was not far wrong. After the race, and a rub down at the Signal Hotel, a tea and social was held. Mr. J. H. Ferguson presented the prizes, the first being a handsome diamond pin, presented by himself; second, a medal presented by Messrs. Burrows and Gleeson; third, an antique inkstand, presented by Messrs. Elkington and Co.; fourth, pair of candlesticks, presented by Messrs. Elkington and Co.; seventh, a silver pencil case, also presented by Messrs. Elkington and Co. The fifth, a silver tray presented by Messrs. Hume and Pegrum; and the sixth, a silver medal, presented by Mr. Oakes, will be handed to the winners in a day or two. Mr. G. M. Moore the captain of the Crusaders, asked the company to drink the health of "The Prizegivers," and in coupling with it the name of Mr. Ferguson, eulogised that gentleman for the great interest he had taken in this race, not only by giving a valuable prize himself, but by obtaining nearly all the prizes. In responding, Mr. Ferguson said he was pleased to have taken an interest in this race, as it had been well handicapped and splendidly contested, and he would always be pleased to support contests of a similar character. He then proposed the "Prizewinners," to which the winners present responded. Mr. J. F. Rugg, the captain of the Redfern B. C., asked the company to drink the health of the Crusaders B. C., which was acknowledged by Messrs. Moore and Palmer. During the evening songs were given by Messrs. Saunders, Rugg, Ferguson, Engisch, Russell, Richardson, Poole, and East, and Mr. G. W. Whatmore recited "Street Tumblers" and sang the cycling song. At half-past 9 a pleasant evening was brought to a close with "Auld Lang Syne."

The following entries have been received by the Manly Bicycle Club for the open events in their programme for Saturday next:—

One Mile Maiden.—Wm. Morris, A. E. Pearson, E. Green, W. T. S. Ives, R. Bramley, B. Aussel, C. E. Selby, E. Barclay, C. N. Cutbush, A. G. Cutbush, A. Griffin, J. O'Grady, M. Long, A. Blndell, F. S. Gibbons.

One Mile Handicap.—A. Gellick, A. Fry, F. T. Davies, R. M'Micking, J. D. Walker, B. Aussell, A. Kinninmont, A. N. Martin, N. M. Palmer, E. A. Hind, A. Fraser, J. Edgar.

Three Miles Handicap.—A. Gellick, A. Fry, F. T. Davies, W. J. Perry, E. B. Daunt, Geo. W. Whatmore, A. Kinninmont, W. M. Palmer, R. Russell, R. M'Micking, Geo. Corkhill, T. H. Betteridge.

One Mile Obstacle Race (fancy dress).—A. Edward, "Officer 2nd Regiment;" F. H. Pearson, "Footballer;" C. H. Warburton, "Dark Horse;" J. A. O'Grady, "Dandy Copper;" A. Griffin, "Sailor;" C. E. Selby, "Nigger;" F. Kilminster, "Cricketer;" E. Barclay, "Jack Tar;" F. S. Gibbons.

150 Yards Flat Race.—S. Grant, C. T. Morath, J. R. Crimmings, R. J. White, J. L. Henderson, P. Smithers, S. A. Jordan, F. S. Brierley, H. Herron, L. Morgan, W. G. Kerruish, A. C. Smithers, W. E. Jacobs, H. M. Dixon, C. J. Robinson, E. J. Hider, W. J. Miles, J. G. Maiden, John Nolls, jun., T. J. Kelly, D. M'Clelland, A. J. Gibbins, E. A. Grainger, G. F. Williamson, E. Davies, W. S. Basseth, G. Maitland, G. L. Guy.

AQUATICS.

The handicapped skiff race for maiden scullers of the Sydney Rowing Club, which had been arranged to take place on the harbour waters on Saturday afternoon, was postponed in consequence of the inclemency of the weather. It is probable that the race and a scratch fours or a contest between scratch eights will be decided some time during the next fortnight.

It is understood that Hughes of Newcastle will go on with his race with Searle the Clarence River sculler; and it is more than likely that Stansbury and Neil Matterson will be matched this week to row for £100 aside.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

The following events have been shot off during the past week at the New South Wales Gun Club grounds, Botany:—

OPEN HANDICAP, nine birds, two misses out; won by Mr. R. Benfield without a miss. Principal Scores:—

R. Benfield (28)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
G. Moon (28)	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
W. Davis (27)	1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
G. B. Modini (30)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0
J. Hickson (29)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0

CHALLENGE CUP, 21 birds. Winner, Mr. H. E. Lord.

Scores:—

Lord, H. E. (28)	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1
Davis, W. (28)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0
Lockwood* (28)	1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 R
Modini, G. B. (28)	0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Jones, Dr.* (28)	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 R
Birmingham* (28)	1 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 R
Boswell* (28)	1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 R

CLUB TROPHY, to be won outright, 9 birds, two misses out. Lockwood*, winner. Principal scores:—

Lockwood* (31)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Modini, G. B. (31)	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0
Birmingham* (31)	1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Lord, H. E. (32)	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1 1
Thomas* (26)	1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 R
Jones, Dr.* (31)	1 0 1 1 1 0 R

* Assumed names. R Retired.

SUPPOSED CRUELTY TO SHEEP DURING THE SHEARING SEASON.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I wish to draw the attention of the public to a letter of Mr. J. C. M'Cooey's which appeared in your issue of the 20th July. This gentleman states that it is the custom of all stations during the shearing season to pen up a certain number of sheep every week or ten days, and that they are left exposed to flies, mosquitoes, and the burning rays of the sun, and that some of them are left in this pen for a period of from 14 to 15 days, and are ultimately trampled to death. Now, Mr. M'Cooey decidedly states that "all" stations practice this cruelty, and I just as decidedly state that "all" stations do not. I know of at least a dozen stations in this district that are guiltless of the charge. On most stations it is customary to keep what is termed a "killing paddock," for "ration sheep." The ration sheep are, as a rule, shorn first, and then put back into their paddock. They are generally yarded twice or three times a week, and the number of sheep that will be required for consumption during the interval of one yarding day and another are put in a small pen, from whence they are taken and killed—some of them the evening they are yarded, and the remainder the following evening—so that they are never more than 24 hours off grass before being killed. Shearing generally takes place in the early spring in warm districts, when there are neither flies, mosquitoes, nor the burning rays of the sun to trouble them. If any such cruelty exists, why does Mr. M'Cooey not take steps to have it stopped? He has power to do so, and I think it would be his duty to have this cruelty put down. I think—and I hope some of your readers with me—that Mr. M'Cooey is slightly wrong in charging "all" stations with cruelty to "ration sheep;" and I also think he would be exceedingly wise in withdrawing that part of his statement. I am, &c.,

Coolaman, July 27. D. LANNAH, JUN.

THE CAVE HOUSE, JENOLAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The letter of your correspondent, "Tourist," which appeared in this morning's issue, calls attention to a matter deserving of notice, that of the want of proper accommodation at the Jenolan Cave-house. During the last Easter holidays myself and several friends visited the caves, serving to swell the already overcrowded state of the two weatherboard buildings constituting the establishment. There were as many as 90 sightseers packed into space hardly adequate for the comfortable lodging of half that number. Some found sleeping-places in a loft over the stable; others, ourselves included, partook of the "chief nourisher in life's feast" upon the "cold, cold floor;" while every room had at least two or three occupants.

The food was undeniably rough, but wholesome and satisfying, the quantity making amends for the quality. In this regard I cannot understand how "Tourist" failed to appease his appetite. True hunger, such as should be consequent to an acquaintance with Jenolan's salubrious atmosphere, knows no fastidiousness, and visitors can hardly expect the cuisine of a first-class metropolitan hotel in a spot so remote from the "busy haunts of men," and so, comparatively, difficult of access. The house and dependencies are situated in about an acre of level ground lying at the base of the encircling hills—mountains, one might call them—and as the whole now stand, avoidance of contiguity to the stables, &c., is an impossibility. Yet, as "Tourist" avers, a lack of cleanliness characterises the place, which if remedied would remove a common cause of complaint, and add materially to the comfort at present experienced.

Of the caves no comment save of appreciation is needed. A description, however graphically written, could never do them thorough justice. They must be seen, and then to a mind endowed with any sense of the grand, the beautiful, the weird in nature, admiration is necessarily a sequence. I am, &c.,

July 27. CLARENCE H. MORGAN.

WHAT CONSTITUTES A SEAL?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Some few days ago the inspector of nuisances for the Borough of Marrickville prosecuted at the Newtown Police Court some persons for breaches of the bylaws, and produced his authority, which purported to bear the corporate seal. Objection was taken that the seal was an impressed one, and therefore the authority was not properly sealed. Mr. Abbott, S.M., uphold the objection, and said, "The document did not bear a proper seal; a seal meant something affixed or attached to a document, and a mere impressed stamp is not a seal." Since reading that decision I have looked up the authorities bearing on the matter, and I would like to refer those interested to the following cases:—In Sprange v. Barnard, 2 Bro., C.C., 585, . . . "and it also seems that neither wax nor wafer are necessary, and that if a stamped impression be made on the paper in place of a seal as commonly used it is a sufficient sealing even under a power which requires a seal." In re Sandilands, L.R. 6, C.P. 411, it has been held that "to constitute a sealing neither wax nor wafer nor a piece of paper, nor even an impression, is necessary."

July 28. I am, &c., LEX.

MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

ASHFIELD.

The Ashfield Council sat on Tuesday last. Present—The Mayor (Alderman T. Dean), and Aldermen Mills, Ralston, Whitney, Dongan, and Elliott. The minutes of last meeting were confirmed. The following letters were received, viz.: From J. Mackay, complaining of heaps of dirt being left by the gutter-sweepers for a day and a-half before being carted away. The overseer was instructed to have this rectified. The secretary of the General Post Office wrote stating that the Postmaster-General intended to adhere to the proposal to erect a small office for postal requirements in Ashfield on portion of the railway stationmaster's garden, and that the erection of the new office would be proceeded with as soon after funds are available as possible. On the motion of Alderman Whitney, it was resolved that the representatives of this electorate be requested to protest to the Postmaster-General against the erection of the post-office as proposed, as in the opinion of this council it is not in keeping with the private buildings and business places erected in Ashfield, nor suitable for the convenience and business of the public. W. Marshall offered to lease the block of land lately purchased as a site for council-chambers, for a horse paddock. Offer was declined. The manager of the Anglo-Australian Investment Company consented to contribute the sum of £200 towards the expense of the Summer Hill drainage scheme. F. A. Coghian complained of filthy gutters in Sloane-street. Referred to the inspector of nuisances. The Clerk of Petty Sessions, Newtown, forwarded £2 for June fines. Messrs. Hammond, King and Crane, applied for kerbing and guttering in Chandos-street. Referred to the overseer. H. M. Sutter complained of bad state of Tintern-road. The council clerk of Leichhardt forwarded a copy of a resolution passed by that council, protesting against the Ashfield Council polluting Long Cove Creek by any scheme of drainage. The Gas Company notified that the street names would be put on the lamps as requested, and the 17 lamps would be erected in spots indicated. J. J. Cook, chairman of directors of the Summer Hill Skating Rink and Bathing Company, applied for their frontage to be kerbed and guttered and asphalted, and also for permission to erect an awning in front of the doorway. Granted. The secretary of the City Extension Railway League wrote notifying the intention to hold a conference next Monday to discuss the subject. It was agreed that as many of the aldermen who could attend should do so. The Mayor reported that he had received a requisition to call a public meeting to urge upon the Government the necessity of having a subway between the Summer Hill station and the viaduct over Long Cove Creek, and the meeting would be held at Summer Hill on an early date. The declaration of office of Alderman Dean as Mayor was laid on the table. The usual reports from the overseer and inspector of nuisances were read. The finance committee recommended payment of accounts amounting to £1484 5s. 3d., which included an amount of £431 15s., quarterly payment to the Gas Company. A report was also read from a special committee appointed to inquire into charges made by a resident of the borough against the inspector of nuisances, and in which the committee reported that one charge made was wholly groundless, nor was there sufficient evidence to substantiate the various other charges contained in the letter, so therefore they were not justified in recommending that any further action should be taken in the matter. All the reports were received. The patronage of the council was given to a concert to be given on 13th proximo in aid of the funds of the Volunteer Fire Brigade. The receipts for the past fortnight were shown to be £836 15s. 8d. The council clerk was instructed to urge on the Water Supply and Sewerage Board the extensions of the main in John-street to Croydon-road and Smith-street to Prospect-road. A motion by Alderman Ralston to review at next meeting of the council all complaints that have been made to date against the assessment for the present year, was seconded by Alderman Elliott, and lost. This ended the business.

WATERLOO.

A meeting of this council was held on Thursday last, 26th instant. Present—The Mayor (Mr. Alderman Howe), and Aldermen Anderson, Navin, Smith, Lamond, Spicer, and Williams. Among the correspondence read was a communication from Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves, 88, Pitt-street, Sydney, offering on behalf of Mr. Cooper to subscribe £400 this year and £300 next year towards forming, ballasting, and binding the whole dedicated length and breadth of Epsom-road, conditionally upon the work being commenced at once, and carried on until completion; that no less a sum than £1600 be expended on the road, and, further, that Mr. Cooper's contribution towards such work be subject to the road and footpath being made of uniform and full width throughout as dedicated. It was resolved, on the motion of Alderman Smith, seconded by Alderman Anderson, that the offer be accepted and the work at once commenced. A letter was received from the secretary of the Board of Health intimating that the board had been advised that no power exists under the Dairies Supervision Act to issue a regulation requiring the registration of dairy premises to be renewed annually, or requiring a fee to be paid for registration. From J. H. Geddes and Co., 19, Phillip-street, Sydney, in answer to the council's communication respecting the diversion of water from Shea's Creek, stating that they had been advised by the oldest and perhaps the best authority on water questions at Waterloo and surroundings that the channel through which they water is now passing is the original watercourse, the channel being broadly defined, and has been bridged over for more than 50 years. Messrs. Geddes and Co. also added that they had no intention to divert anything approaching a rush of waters into the channel, and, in general, they disputed the accuracy of the statements made. The letter was referred to the works committee for a thorough investigation of the whole subject. It was resolved to co-operate with the Alexandria and Redfern councils in view of obtaining railway siding accommodation at north end of Garden-street. A letter was received from the Railway Department, intimating that if the council would lower the kerb and gutter at the Waterloo tram terminus, to suit the level of the tram line, the department would tarpave the footpath fronting the premises, and also form a cube crossing to the entrance to their coke store. It was resolved to act upon this suggestion. A letter was also received from the secretary of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade, stating that an amending bill would be submitted to Parliament, and pushed forward for early consideration. He also requested that any suggestions by the council should reach the board not later than the 13th August next. The Mayor made a statement to the council as to the financial condition of the borough, which, in his opinion, was by no means in an unsatisfactory state. He advocated that the overdraft at the bank should be increased to £2000 to meet the expenses of the necessary improvements of the borough. Aldermen Williams, Spicer, and Navin endorsed the views of the Mayor, and the suggestion to borrow the additional funds was adopted. The levels of Princes-avenue, Salisbury Estate, were received, and directions given for their being advertised in the usual way. The tender of Mr. Gray, builder, Cooper-street, Waterloo, amounting to £68 10s., for additions to the Town Hall premises, was received and adopted. After the transaction of other business the council adjourned.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBURY, SATURDAY.

The following stock movements are reported:—112 fat cattle from Nevertire for Melbourne, Dougharty, Son, and Parker; 88 head fat cattle, from Bourke, for Melbourne, R. Gibson and Co.: 80 head fat cattle, from Dubbo for Melbourne, Dougharty, Son, and Parker; 16 head of fat cattle from Girilambone for Melbourne, Griffiths and Co.; 96 fat cattle from Girilambone for Melbourne, Ettershank and Co.; 1360 fat sheep from Nevertire for Melbourne, R. Gibson and Co.; 1120 fat sheep from Nyngan for Melbourne, Powers, Rutherford, and Co.; 1120 fat sheep from Nevertire for Melbourne, Dougharty, Son, and Parker; 2240 fat sheep from Dubbo for Melbourne, R. Gibson, and Co.

BOURKE, SATURDAY.

Brindingabba reports the following stock passings:—440 fat cattle, Mount Marlow to Bourke, J. and W. Christian, owners; 350, Ardoch to Bourke, Sly, owner; 270, Salmonville to Bourke, W. W. Richardson; 2000 store cattle, Lolworth to Wodonga, J. and W. Clark, owners; 350 fats, Norley to Bourke, T. W. Armytage, owner; 500 fats, Kyabra to Bourke, Peppin and Webber; 350 fats, Retreat to Bourke, J. and W. Christian. The Hungerford passings are:—1000 store bullocks, Palparara to Victoria, Hay Bros., owners. Barringun reports:—560 cows, Carcena to Dubbo, Union Mortgage Company; 1040 store cattle, Beaufort to Wodonga, Sir A. Palmer, owner; 800 fat bullocks, Ambathella to Wodonga, C. L. Williams, owner.

PICTON, SATURDAY.

Light rain commenced falling this morning and continued steadily all day.

TAMBO (Q.), SATURDAY.

1250 store bullocks passed from Southwick, Burdekin River, to Bourke, H. Colless owner.

WILCANNIA, SATURDAY.

Six hundred wethers, from Nuntherangie for Victoria, are near at hand, W. and E. Kennedy owners.

WISEMAN'S FERRY, SATURDAY.

The stock crossings to-day from Terilleroy, Big River, for Homebush, were 2000 fat sheep, Mr. W. Moses owner.

The *Times* correspondent in Paris affirms that the French have at length discovered a perfect rifle, and a new and more powerful kind of powder. This powder explodes itself so completely that it is smokeless, and discharges the bullet so strongly that it will pierce thick iron at a distance of "several thousand metres," and "break down defences," presumably of masonry, nearly two miles away. The German army, he maintains, must be similarly armed, and this will take three years, as the machinery for making the Tramond rifles exists only in France. This (says the *Spectator*) is a little poetical. The force of the new system consists in the powder, not the rifle, and the secret of the powder once discovered, its manufacture will take rather weeks than years. Moreover, there are sharp limits in actual warfare to the utility of an excessively long range. The places are few at which men can engage each other with effect two or three miles away, and the supply of ammunition is not unlimited. Indeed, there are experienced soldiers who doubt whether magazine rifles, except in the hands of picked troops, will not prove a disadvantage. The temptation, when under fire, to fire fast is too much for most soldiers.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—July 28.

Gunga (s.), 1237 tons, Captain D. Calder, from Suva 18th instant, via Norfolk Island 22nd instant. Passengers—Sir Samuel Griffith, Mrs. Reid and child, Miss A. Mitchell, Miss J. Mitchell, Miss E. L. Lamont, and 3 in the steerage. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Clifton, barque, 380 tons, Captain A. Bankier, from Mercury Bay June 29, en route to Melbourne. Captain, agent.

Lucinda, Queensland Government steamer, 147 tons, Captain J. H. South, from Brisbane 26th instant. Passengers—His Excellency and Lady Musgrave, maid and valet, Captain Baden Powell.

Coraki (s.), 350 tons, Captain H. Wood, from Richmond River 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Harris and child, Miss Trahair, Miss Bridgham, Messrs. Thompson, Miller (2), Drummitt, Douglas, Masters Thornbury (2), and seven in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

July 29.

Tetartos (s.), 2409 tons, Captain Petersen, from Foochow 6th instant. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Queen of the South (s.), 198 tons, Captain W. B. Nelson, from Macleay River 28th instant. Passengers—Miss Harper, Mr. Wright, Mr. Rankin, and three in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Allowrie (s.), 505 tons, Captain G. Walker, from Eden 28th instant, and Southern ports. Passengers—Misses Turbot (2), Miss Badly, Miss Walker, Miss Hetherington, Miss Burnegerin, Miss Hingstrom, Miss Fowler, Messrs. Ritchie (3), Lane, Badly, Moorhead, Treeves, and 3 in the steerage. I. S. N. Company, agents.

City of Grafton (s.), 825 tons, Captain J. Magee, from Clarence River 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Condor, Mrs. Lewington, Mrs. Levy, Mrs. Hansen, Miss Hannell, Miss O'Connor Messrs. W. J. Condor, R. M'Donald, J. Markley, W. Mathie, H. E. Best, W. Houston, C. Page, E. G. Cooke, F. Lock, J. Burt, J. B. Ridings, M'Coy, Master Lewington, and 10 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Company, agents.

Cintra (s.), 1979 tons, Captain J. Banks, from Cooktown via intermediate ports, and Brisbane 27th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Williams and family, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Trudd, Mrs. Southern, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Gibblett, Mrs. Cuningham, Miss Fryer, Miss Ward, Miss Cockerton, Miss Cuningham, Hon. Mrs. Sandilands, Dr. Goodall, Dr. Southam, Messrs. Crossley, Haig, White, Litchfield, Evans, Midgley, Robertson, Moffatt, Fleet, Hatton, Brown, Trudd, Houston, Steele, Johnston, Govett, Griffiths, Giblett, Mullaney, O'Connor, Hews, Axon, Mountcastle, Pomeroy, Campbell, Stanfield, Hill, Abbott; and 50 in the steerage. Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Notero, barque, 430 tons, Captain W. A. Smith, from Lyttelton 7th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Smith and 4 children, Messrs. Brown (3). J. Little, agent.

Australian (s.), 368 tons, Captain R. Affleck, from Clarence River 28th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Willon, Miss Grey, Messrs. J. H. Stewart, G. O. M'Clure, T. Marcolino, S. M'Donald, D. Grey, R. Baker, F. Baker, J. Want, Rev. Moxon, Master Grey, and 7 in the steerage. John See and Co., agents.

Burwah (s.), 982 tons, Captain W. Ellis, from Brisbane 27th instant. Passengers—Mrs. W. E. Baker, Mrs. Renno and child, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. A. Ryan, Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. J. Harman, Mrs. Horricks and child, Messrs. A. Wood, J. Harman, Captain E. Williams, Sergeant Cawsey, J. A. Pittard, T. Gillett, G. Cawthray, C. Campbell, W. Nutting, F. C. Smalley, H. Lyall, T. W. Smollett, H. Dunbar, W. Dunbar, and 26 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Active (s.), 79 tons, Captain R. J. M'Arthur, from Melbourne 26th instant. Mr. Anderson, agent.

DEPARTURES.—July 28.

Sedwell Jane, three-masted schooner, for Adelaide, via Wollongong.
Victorian (s.), for Melbourne and Adelaide.
Barrabool (s.), for Brisbane.
Elamang (s.), for Brisbane and Northern ports.
Elingamite (s.), for Melbourne.

July 29.

Airlie (s.), for Hongkong, via ports.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—July 30.

Sherard Osborn (s.), for Port Darwin; Lucinda (s.), for Brisbane; Lumbermans' Lassie, ship, for London; Cintra (s.), for Melbourne.

CLEARANCES.—July 28.

Victorian (s.), 718 tons, Captain T. E. Creer, for Melbourne, Adelaide, and Fremantle. Passengers—For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. Meacock, Mr. and Mrs. Burnes, Mr. and Mrs. Baddington, Mr. and Mrs. Banhold and 3 children, Miss Bailey, Miss Wright, Mrs. W. T. Wright, Miss Wright, Miss M. Pinkerton, Mrs. Mathews, Miss Mathews, Miss Richardson, Mrs. Morrison, Miss Kelley, Messrs. Boyd, G. Nash Gordon, Wetchart, J. Lutton, G. P. Oom, T. Short, J. P. Greig, J. W. Jaffray, Hill, Hardy, G. Williamson, T. L. Bailey. For Adelaide: Mrs. E. Hornsby, Mr. W. Blaxland. For Fremantle: Messrs. J. Cale, R. Cale. And 20 in the steerage for ports.

Airlie (s.), 2337 tons, Captain W. Ellis, for Hongkong, via Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, and Townsville. Passengers—For Port Darwin: Mrs. Beresford and 2 children, Mrs. B. O'Donnell, Mrs. J. O'Donnell, Miss Beresford, Messrs. R. D. Beresford, E. W. Giles, C. H. Albert, Cockayne, Cullen, F. Mertel, and 18 in the steerage. For Hongkong: 30 Chinese.

Evie Reed, American barque, Captain A. F. Whittier, for Singapore.

Scottish Wizard, barque, 1140 tons, Captain Colville, for Batavia.

Elamang (s.), 946 tons, Captain W. C. Thomson, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. W. H. Howard, Mrs. A. Scowen and 2 children, Mrs. E. R. Fox, Miss F. Mackenzie, Messrs. A. J. Rost, J. R. Chaffey, G. D. Hamilton, A. H. Cooke, T. Hooper, C. H. Wainwright, E. R. Fox, A. G. Ascher, L. Harris, and 20 in the steerage.

Elingamite (s.), 2600 tons, Captain P. W. Bull, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Battye, Mrs. L. Bullen, Mrs. G. M'Cauley, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Wagner, Mrs. Vickery, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Darling, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Ford, Mrs. H. Jones, Miss Battye, Miss Andrews, Miss H. M. Johnson, Miss Robertson, Miss Dixon, Miss Wagner, Miss E. Wagner, Miss Vickery, Miss Grossman, Miss Martin, Miss Jones, Miss White, Captain Stewart, Messrs. H. Jones, H. Perdriau, R. Battye, J. Yerington, J. Forbes, H. L. Bullen, G. Hayes, W. Nugent, W. Prudhoe, G. Wride, H. Susman, W. R. Bulley, A. M'Math, A. Martin, P. Hordern, E. Hamley, J. Andrews, J. O'Neil, W. Wilding, A. J. M'Auley, V. M'Cauley, F. Rocket, S. G. Goodin, P. M'Cauley, S. J. Ferguson, G. Glover, O. A. Spencer, F. Woods, E. Clarkson, F. Ford, A. S. Perdriau, T. Nicolle, G. Vickery, Master Jones, and 42 in the steerage.

Barrabool (s.), 846 tons, Captain Richardson, for Brisbane. Passengers—Mrs. Bland Holt, Mrs. W. Hill, Miss B. Lewis, Miss M. Fredericks, Miss Tracey, Miss Herbert, Dr. Daly, Messrs. Bland Holt, Doughlas Harris, A. Caporn, O. Keele, O'Neil, Reid, Heffman, Barker, Hall, C. Holloway, Doughlas, Darley, Overton, Howard, Ryan, Poulton, Norman, H. Phillips, St. Laurence, C. Glover, J. Ryan, A. D. Gosman, Master Seagreave, Master Caporn, and 29 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—July 28.

Candidate, for Manning River.

IMPORTS.—July 28.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Gunga (s.), from Fiji: 15,677 bunches bananas, 10 empty casks, 687 sacks cocoanuts, 9 cases 14 baskets pines, 2 sacks dessicated nuts, 8 sacks 4 cases yams, 727 sacks maize, 135 sacks copra, 98 sacks beche-de-mer, 4 sacks shaddocks, 1 turtle, and sundries.

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Cintra (s.), from Brisbane: For Sydney—1425 bunches bananas, 470 hides, 19 bundles skins, 280 bags tin ore, 19 casks tallow, 8 empty jars, 3 bags bones and horns, 4 cases fruit, 1122 bags sugar, and 22 packages sundries. For Melbourne—387 bunches bananas, 30 cases Exhibition goods, 30 bags quartz, 29 bags oysters, 63 cases fruit, 38 cases arrowroot, and 47 packages sundries. Adelaide—928 bags sugars.

Notero, from Lyttelton: 2324 bags potatoes, 1917 bags wheat, 500 bags bran, 69 cheese, 68 cases sheep tongues, 275 sacks peas, 460 bags oats, 16 bags barley, 4 packages vetches, 460 packages flour.

Active (s.), from Melbourne: 26 tons potatoes.

Tetartos (s.), from Foochow: 26,177 packages tea for Sydney, 1196 tons tea for Melbourne, 104 tons tea for Adelaide, 177 tons tea Brisbane, and 34 tons tea for Nelson, New Zealand, and 16 tons tea for Newcastle.

Ex Yallaroi: 19 cases galvanised plain iron, 8 casks perforated zinc, 22 cases black sheet iron. 30 barrels Stockholm tar, 8 bales spun-yarn, 160 iron boiler plates, 4 casks white zinc paint, 120 kegs red lead—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Frank Stafford: 50 cases Bidwell's axle grease—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Centurion: 19 cases detonators—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex South American: 600 cases Champion, and 100 cases Safeguard kerosene oil—John Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex Frank Stafford and South American: About 30,000ft. walnut, ash, oak, hickory, &c.—Carl Stephan, 72 to 76, Liverpool-street.

Ex South American: 50 bales paper bags, 200 crates sweet beech butter dishes, 250 reams butter wrappers, 250 boxes clothes pins, 100 barrels finest granulated sugar, 750 cases 150 and 130 test kerosene faucet nozzles—D. Mitchell and Co.

Ex Candida and Gladstone: 30 tons Hickson's fine dairy salt, 25 tons whiting, 25 kegs tart acid, 10 cases each vermicelli and maccaroni, 60 kegs cream tart., 20 cases each tart. acid and cream tart. (in jars)—D. Mitchell and Co.

Ex Buttermere: 80 cases tablet sugar, 100 cases half-pint 50 cases pint Adams' castor oil—D. Mitchell and Co.

Ex Engenie: 9 cases sewing machine oil, 7 crates fly-traps, 1 case samples, 66 crates cooking stoves, 2 cases squares, 1 case door-knobs, 14 barrels lamp shades and chimneys, 50 cases axes, 8 cases picks, 2 cases lemon-squeezers, 1 case locks, 8 cases lampware, 5 packages e.p. goods, 2 cases hat and coat hooks, 5 cases cartridges—J. Keep and Son, corner of King and Clarence streets.

Ex South American: 4 boxes piston packing, rubber tubing, and waggon springs; 4 hogsheads indiarubber hose, 36 cases rubber kneeboots and shoes, 50 cases cylinder oil, 50 cases machine oil, 1 case druggists' rubber sundries—Perdriau and Co., Erskine-street and Clarence-street.

EXPORTS.—July 28.

Barrabool (s.), for Brisbane: 59 bundles chaff, 20 cases ginger wine, 20 cases whisky, 5 cases fish, 10 drums spirits, 27 kegs butter, 5 cases tongues, 8 cases cheese, 42 bags peas, 4 cases twine, 23 packages drapery, 10 casks shale waste, 30 cases acids, 5 packages hardware, 6 bales paper, 57 bundles hoops, 4 cases books, 4 cases pianos, 2 packages machinery, 10 bundles woolpacks, 26 strap bolts, 35 bags pollard, 300 bags maize, 144 bags potatoes, 35 bags oatmeal, 7 tanks 2 packages malt, 3 cases glass, 10 bags wheat, 25 bags onions, 7 packages furniture, 215 cases fruit, 16 casks pork, 6666 fire bricks, 25 bundles iron, 50 tons shale, sundries, and original cargo from Melbourne.

Victorian (s.), for Adelaide, via Melbourne: For Melbourne: 100 casks shale waste, 3 packages boots, 834 cases fruit, 10,000 slates, 14 bundles old rope, 45 bales rags, 38 packages machinery, 3 jacks, 7 packages tea, 1 engine, and sundries. For Adelaide: 8 bales paper, 200 cases brandy, 10 cases fruit, 3 cases chairs, 11 cases books, 8 packages leather, 6 bags foodstock, 2 packages stationery, 25 bags ore, 7 packages hardware, 3 cases shears, 84 ingots tin, 360 packages sugar, 17 lengths pipe, 20 boxes soap, 20½ barrels salmon, 17 bags hides, 1 boiler and fittings, a quantity of machinery, and sundries.

Airlie (s.), for Hongkong via ports: 1500 tons coal, 65 cases brandy, 3 hogsheads 4 quarter-casks rum, 7 cases gin, 50 cases whisky, 147 packages oilstores, 3 anchors, 14 pigs lead, 141 packages sugar, 50 cases beer, 4 packages tobacco, 1000 bags rice, 517 casks cement, 10 cases kerosene oil, 20 bundles hoop iron, 53 cases meats, 17 packages butter, 31 lengths pipe, 360 packages hardware, 269 packages flour, 23 packages rope, 20 bags bran, 137 bags potatoes, 7 packages grindery, 134 bags chaff, 255 bags oats, 21 boxes soap, 45 cases nails, 10 cases vestas, 6 packages boots, 60 bags fungus, 18 bags onions, 4 packages yellow metal, 23 bags beche-de-mer, 54 bags maize, 8 boxes (£3065) gold, and a quantity of sundries.

Elamang (s.), for Brisbane: 10 cases tobacco, 4 cases cigars, 20 casks whiskey, 330 packages tea, 20 bundles wire, 2 boilers, 600 bags potatoes, 30 cases bitters, 30 cases currants, 30 cases raisins, 10 casks dried apples, 800 bags flour, 85 bales chaff, 100 packages machinery, 85 bales hay, 100 bags onions, 240 cases fruit, 372 packages hardware, 100 bags bran, 43 ingots tin, 30 packages boots, 1 tank almonds, 40 cases chlorate, 90 cases beer, 420 packages oilmen's stores, 30 cases champagne, 50 kegs whitelead, 50 drums oil, 40 cases treacle, 50 cases nails, 30 bundles wire netting, 100 bags maize, 50 bundles brooms, 50 cases schnapps, 2 horses, 25 cases stationery, 40 kegs butter, 330 packages naval stores, 25 cases plants, 384 cases wines and spirits, 87 packages drugs, 96 packages drapery, and sundries, also original cargo from Melbourne.

Evie Reed, for Singapore, 846 tons coal.

Scottish Wizard, for Batavia: 1650 tons coal.

Elingamite (s.), for Melbourne: 2800 tons coal, 100 tons shale, 250 bags bonedust, 1141 hides, 80 packages exhibits, 41 cases fruit, 55 tons pigiron, 206 pieces timber, 6 cases views, 17 bales bagging, 2 bales hair, 5 bales rags, 2 bags calfskins, 7 nests crates, 60 logs timber, 35 cases salmon, 1 box coal exhibits, 43 bales wool, 2 packages bottles, and sundries, also stores for Gabo Island.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(From our correspondents.)

Brisbane.—Arrivals: July 28, Menmuir (s.), from Hongkong; Shalimer, barque, from London; Eurimbla (s.), from Rockhampton; Balmain (s.), from Townsville; July 29, Fitzroy (s.), from Sydney. Departures: July 28, Menmuir (s.), Eurimbla (s.), for Sydney; R.M.S. Waroonga, for Cooktown; Glanworth (s.), for Rockhampton. Konoowarra (s.), for Rockhampton, left Maryborough yesternight. Yaralla (s.), for Bundaberg, arrived at Maryborough yesterday. You Yangs (s.) arrived at Townsville early yesterday morning from Brisbane. Victoria (s.), for Burketown, arrived at Townsville yesterday morning. Barcoo (s.) left Cooktown yesterday morning for Sydney. Quiraing (s.), for Burketown, arrived at Kimberley yesternight. Hesketh (s.) arrived at Cooktown yesterday morning from Sydney. Birksgate (s.), from Normanton to Brisbane, arrived at Thursday Island on Saturday morning.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: July 28, Newcastle (s.), Gwydir (s.), Boomerang (s.), Western (s.), Clara Jackson, Chieftain, Glide, Susie, Mana, Malcolm, from Sydney. July 29, Flado (s.), Age (s.), from Melbourne; Fiona (s.), from Fiji; Caniapa, from Brisbane; Endeavour, Active, from Camden Haven; Namoi (s.), Hastings (s.), Fern, from Sydney. Departures: July 28, Nemesis (s.), Easby (s.), for Melbourne; Vivid, for Port Darwin; Amphitrite, for Richmond River; Duckenfield (s.), Sydney (s.), Gwydir (s.), and Newcastle (s.), for Sydney. July 29, Bannockburn, for Rockhampton; Nairnshire, for Valparaiso, with 1402 tons coal; Augusta, for Wilmington, with 1225 tons coal; Western (s.), Namoi (s.), for Sydney; Hauroto (s.), for Lyttelton.

Gabo Island.—Passed: July 28, Age (s.), at 10.30 a.m., north; Leura (s.), at 3.10 p.m.; Katoomba (s.), at 4.10 p.m.; Bothwell Castle (s.), at 5.45 p.m., west.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: July 28, Lubra (s.), from Adelaide; Taglisferro (s.), from Newcastle; Southern Cross (s.), from North-west ports (Tas.); Tommy, schooner, Swordfish, schooner, from Tasmania. July 29, Bucephalus (s.), from Calcutta; Gabo (s.), Leura (s.), Katoomba (s.), from Sydney; Lindus (s.), from Newcastle; Charles and Arthur, schooner, from Brisbane. Departures: July 28, Burrumbeet (s.), Rodondo (s.), Warrego (s.), Ghazee, for Sydney; Moreton (s.), J. C. Taylor, ketch, for Tasmania; Titus (s.), for Newcastle; South Australian (s.), for Adelaide.

Adelaide.—Arrivals: July 29, Free Selector, Raine, from Melbourne; Fray Bentos, from Lyttelton; Bhundarra (s.), from Calcutta. Departures: July 28, Hubbuck (s.), Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne; Empress of China, for Hobart; Murrumbidgee (s.), for London.

(From board at telegraph office.)

Tweed Heads.—Arrivals: July 28, Sea Flower, at 11.20 a.m.; Karuah (s.), at 11.35 a.m.

Nambucca Heads.—Arrival: July 28, Fernmount (s.), from Port Macquarie, crossed in at 11 a.m.

Richmond Heads.—Arrivals: July 28, Bellinger (s.), bar bound, 7ft. in Shaw's Bay, 11ft. on bar last soundings. July 29, Electra (s.), from Sydney, at 12.50 p.m. Departures: July 29, Bellinger (s.), for Sydney, at 12.30 p.m.; Jessie Matilda, ready for sea.

Clarence Heads.—Arrival: July 29, Mary Campbell, schooner, crossed in at 11 a.m. Passed: July 29, Wyrallah (s.), at 4.40 p.m., south.

Manning Heads.—Arrivals: July 28, Rosedale (s.), at 11.40 a.m. July 29, Alice Templeton, Georgina Davis, Sea Nymph, Maggie Gollan, bar bound.

Port Macquarie.—Arrivals: July 28, Avon (s.), from Bellinger, at 12.30 a.m.; Wellington (s.), at 11.30 a.m. Passed: July 28, Fitzroy (s.), at 9.40 a.m., north. Departures: July 29, Avon (s.), at noon; Fernmount (s.), Empress of India, Julius Vogel, Victoria, for Sydney. Passed: July 29, Elamang (s.), at 7.30 a.m.; Barrabool (s.), at 3.5 p.m.; Helen Nicoll (s.), at 4.25 p.m.—all north.

Camden Haven.—Arrival: July 28, Champion, from Sydney.

Cape Hawke.—Arrivals: July 27, Favourite, Ability, at 11 p.m. July 28, Electra (s.), called and landed passengers at 10 a.m. Departures: July 28, nine vessels left bay, bound south.

Laurieton.—Arrivals: July 28, Formosa, Budgaree, Annie, Theresa, and a fore-and-aft schooner barbound.

Trial Bay.—Departure: July 28, Canaipa (s.), from Brisbane, at 1 p.m. south.

Nelson's Bay.—Departures: July 29, Emma Pyers (s.), Caledonia, Jane, Vale, Dolly Walmsley, Echo, Integrity, Maggie, Joker, at 7 a.m.

Wollongong.—Arrival: July 28, Dingadee (s.), from Sydney. Departures: July 28, Hilda (s.), Herga (s.), for Coal Cliff; Illawarra (s.), for Shoalhaven.

Kiama.—Arrival: July 28, Lansdowne, from Sydney. Departure: July 28, Illawarra (s.), for Shoalhaven.

Crookhaven Heads.—Arrivals: July 28, Coomonderry (s.), at 7 a.m.; Illawarra (s.), at 12.20 p.m. Departure: July 28, Meeinderry (s.), for Sydney, at noon.

Jervis Bay.—Arrival: July 29, Ino, ketch, at anchor. Passed: July 29, Gambier (s.), at 5.30 p.m., north.

Eden.—Arrival: July 29, Bega (s.), at 2 p.m. Departure: July 29, Annie Bow, early.

Green Cape.—Passed: July 28, Age (s.), at 12.30 p.m., north; Leura (s.), at 1.30 p.m.; an A.U.S.N. steamer, at 3.30 p.m.; Bothwell Castle (s.), at 3.50 p.m., all south; July 29, two steamers, at 6.20 p.m., bound north.

Gabo Island.—Passed: July 29, Glaucus (s.), at 8.20 a.m.; Burrumbeet (s.), at 5.20 p.m.; Warrego (s.), at 5.20 p.m., all north; Victorian (s.), at 11.30 a.m.; Elingamite (s.), at 4 p.m.; Nemesis (s.), at 5.40 p.m., all west.

Hobart.—Arrival: July 27, Coptic (s.), from London, at 7 p.m.

Circular Head.—Departure: July 27, Southern Cross (s.), for Melbourne, at 9.30 p.m.

Albany.—Arrivals: July 26, Albany (s.), from Adelaide. July 28, R.M.S. Cuzco, from Plymouth, at 9.55 a.m. Departure: July 28, R.M.S. Cuzco, for Adelaide, at noon.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Saturday Evening.

In the Stock and Share market to-day the following sales were reported:—Balmain Ferry Steam, 18s.; Perpetual Trustee, 15s.; Tooth's Brewery, 15s.; Real Estate Bank, 9s. 3d., 9s. Closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
BANKS.					
A. J. Bank	17½	18	N. Z., Syd. reg.	10½	11½
City	15½	16	Ditto, N. Z. reg.	10½	—
New issue, £2 pd.	84/	86/	Q'land National	9¼	9¾
Commercial	114	—	Union	60	63
Federal	72/6	74/	Rl. Bk. of Q'land	5	—
Mercantile	—	5½	Bk. of Nth Q'land	38/	40
N. S. W.	62	—	Com. of Australia	10½	—
STEAM.					
A. S. N.	3/	7/6	Illawarra	7½	—
Balmain Ferry	17/9	18/3	Newcastle	7/6	10/
Clarence & Richmond	10	12	Do. Preferential	10/	12/
Do. Preferential	13½	15	N. Shore Ferry..	41/	43/
Hunter River	8	8½	Port Jackson	—	50/
INSURANCE.					
General	—	—	New S. Wales	10	1/
Austral. Mutual.	—	16/6	New Zealand	—	—
City Mutual	1/10	2/1	Pacific	13/	20/6
Indust. Mutual	—	28/	United	—	73/
Mer. Mutual	5/9	6/3			
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Australian Gas	15½	15¾	Vol. Land Order	—	150
New	8½	—	Shale and Oil	—	3/
Castl'maine Brew	—	28/	S. P. Petroleum	—	—
Emu Gravel	—	14/6	Sydney Exch'nge	14	14½
Hudson Bros.	5/6	5/9	Assets Realizat'n	4/3	4/6
Mont de Piété	—	24/	Mortgage Guarantee, 10s paid	—	14/6
Saywell's	13/	14/	Sydney T. and O.	23/	—
Permanent Trust.	4/3	4/6	Colonial Sugar	12	14
Perkins and Co.	—	35/	Tooth's Brewery	14/9	15/
New	—	24/	Goulburn Gas	—	41/
Perpet. Trustee	15/	15/3			
LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES.					
Anglo-A.L.F.I.	7½	8	Syd. and Sub.	5½	6½
Ditto, £1 paid	33/6	36/	Syd. Permt.	33	35
C. B. and In.	77/	—	Ind. Prov.	—	—
Excelsior	—	—	Syd. and Prov.	—	—
Mercantile, 20s pd.	15/	—	Aus. Mutual	62/6	70/
Ditto, 7s pd.	—	—	Real Estate	—	9/
Syd. Freehold	20/	22/			

Meetings will be held on Monday as follows:—Australian Gaslight, at 2.30 p.m., and Castlemaine Brewery, at 3 p.m.

A meeting interested in the formation of a company for the purpose of establishing a wool-manufacturing industry on 12 acres of estate in Queanbeyan, was held yesterday at the Empire Hotel. The chair was taken by the Hon. James Inglis. Messrs. Cunningham, Burdekin, Rhodes, T. W. O'Connor, and Tompsitt, discussed the prospects of the adventure, and finally a resolution was passed that the company be formed, with a capital of £30,000, in shares of £1 each. More than 19,000 shares were taken up at once. A further resolution directed the registration of the company under the Limited Liability Act, and the completion of the memorandum of agreement for the purchase of the requisite stock, plant, &c.

By advertisement it will be seen that the Sydney Stock Exchange will be closed from Wednesday to Saturday, inclusive, next week.

The investment of trust funds in colonial securities had the warm advocacy of Mr. Baden Powell in the House of Commons on the 19th June, when he moved a resolution to the effect that such stocks should be more adequately recognised. He said that while the trust wealth of the country had greatly increased, the range of investment had narrowed. The funded debt had diminished £100,000,000 in 30 or 35 years, and the conversion would bring about a further great reduction. Landed securities also had depreciated. The Stocks and Trusts Act had failed to effect the purpose for which it was intended—an extension of the list of Chancery investments. The colonial loans amounted to £230,000,000 from which the Exchequer received £800,000 in stamp duties, while a still further benefit was the fact that most of the money invested was spent in home produce, such as railway plant. In 35 years the value of colonial stock had risen from £5,000,000 to £230,000,000. The income tax returns showed that while English investments in foreign securities had fallen from £9,000,000 in 1872 to £6,800,000 in 1883, colonial investments, giving incomes returnable for taxation, had risen in the same period from £3,000,000 to £6,600,000. These figures proved the interest that people at home had in this question. No less than 90 per cent. of the borrowed capital had been expended in remunerative work—a proportion that no municipal funds included in the list of Chancery securities could show. A further proof of the security of this stock might be found in the premiums to be paid upon most of the stock. The remedy he had to put before the House was this—That if any Act of Parliament were passed authorising the Court of Chancery to admit Colonial Government securities to the list of trust investments, it should be possible to arrange that those investments might be made in any colony, the particular stock of which—say 4 per cent.—stood at par. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, while admitting the value of colonial securities, referred to the possible detriment to consols, and said that to make a selection of colonial stocks would give umbrage to the colonies whose stocks were omitted. Where the option had been given to the courts to invest in other stocks than consols, it had not been exercised, and there would be no such exercise in the case of the colonial stocks if the option were granted. The motion was withdrawn.

Our American files contain full references to the state of the wool business, which has been the subject of legislation. The damage which has been done to the manufacturing interests by the fact that the duties upon yarns and cloths are lower than the duties upon raw wools, was making the country look upon the new measure for the abolition of the duty on the raw material with increasing favour. Some American authorities seem to think that the Republican party might, by a re-adjustment of the duties, avert the contemplated abolition. The lines upon which such re-adjustment would go would be:—"1. That the evil of lower duties upon yarns and cloths than upon wools shall be corrected. 2. That the popular demand for a reduction of duties shall be recognised. 3. That the protective tariff applied to wool shall be maintained." It is admitted, however, even by those who suggest these features of re-adjustment, that Mr. Mills's bill offers a large measure of relief to the stricken industry, and that if it became law, factories which were shutting down and for sale would be operated to their fullest capacity by present owners. From a report furnished to the American *Wool Reporter* of the 7th June we copy the following:—

"Philadelphia has been invaded by a number of representatives of European wool dealers, who are offering samples of foreign wools, which they will deliver in bond, on a basis of 42c. for scoured Australian—such as to-day costs 70c., duty paid—and 29c. to 33c. for scoured skirtings and pieces of fine Australian. They are advising dealers to buy now at these figures, and leave the wools in the bonded warehouses, as in the event of free wool an advance in the foreign markets is very probable, such that it will not be possible to purchase at these prices. On this basis of prices for foreign scoured wools, it is claimed that Ohio fine delaine will have to sell below 25c., against 31c. to 32c. to-day; XX Ohio clothing will have to sell at 21c. to 22c., against 28c. to 30c. to-day, and many of the heavy Territory wools will have to be moved at 8¾c. to 9c. against 12c. to 15c. to-day."

About Australian fruit going into England, there is not a unanimity of opinion. The *European Mail* says that the Australian export fruit trade ought to be looking up very considerably now. The Tasmanian apples and Victorian pears recently imported had all found much favour with leading West End fruiterers, and as a further extension of the sale thereof, these fruits had even found their way to suburban London "stores," and thousands of middle-class people had, for the first time in their lives, an opportunity of handling Antipodean fruit apparently as fresh as though "gathered yesterday." On the other hand, the *Times* discounts the success of the new trade. In its issue of June 17 appears the following:—"Most of the fruit is very fine in size and colour, but a quantity arrives in bad condition. Sound parcels have made high prices. The flavour is mostly poor, this being especially noticeable in some of the table kinds, such as ribstones, these not being comparable to English or Nova Scotian. It is a question whether the Australian apple trade will grow to any extent. At present the fruit is somewhat of a novelty, and has commanded rather fancy prices; but there is no doubt if soft fruit arrives in market in any quantity, a considerable drop in prices must take place. At the same time, it is well for English growers to know that in future they have another source of supply to contend with."

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £1289 14s. 3d.; wine, still, £65 10s.; ale, porter, and beer (in bottles), £31 10s.; tobacco and snuff, £225 9s.; tobacco (unmanufactured), £3 3s.; cigars, £112 10s.; cigarettes, £37 10s.; tea, £1103 19s. 4d.; sugar (refined), £3 6s. 8d.; sugar (unrefined), £8 8s 10d.; sugar (molasses), £2 17s. 2d.; rice, £44 9s. 4d.; dried fruits, £25 15s. Specific Duty: Bacon and hams, £11 18s. 6d.; candles, £57 7s. 11d.; confectionery, 4s. 8d.; fish, £3 16s. 8d.; gasoline, £7 8s.; galvanised iron, £63 13s. 6d.; galvanised manufactures, £1 2s. 6d.; iron and steel wire, £25 10s.; jams and jellies, £16; milk, £40; oil (kerosene), £68 8s.; oils (in bottle), £3 6s.; oils (other), £26 5s.; powder (blasting), £4 3s. 4d.; spirits (methylated), £6 8s.; timber (undressed), £7 13s. 8d.; pilotage, Sydney, £40 2s.; harbour dues, £4; excise on tobacco, £163 5s. 8d.; excise on beer, £57 3s. 9d.; tobacco factory license fees, £25; total, £3589 2s. 9d.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench report having sold, by private contract, business premises near Circular Quay for £12,500.

Messrs. Batt, Rodd, and Purves report having sold, on the ground, Newtown, on Saturday afternoon last, the whole of the first subdivision of Kettle's Estate, embracing 41 allotments, at prices ranging from £38 to £54 per foot, for the main (King) street frontages, and from £6 to £10 17s. 6d. per foot frontage for the internal lots. Total amount of sale, £15,412 15s. 5d.

STOCK SALE.

Messrs. Macdermott, Loughnan, and Scarr report having sold, on account of Mr. Donald M'Intyre, of Dalgonally Station, Queensland, 1400 female cattle, for Western Australia.—[Advt.]

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From our correspondent.)

LONDON, July 28.

Consols, 100½.

New South Wales 5 per cent., 1900-1902, 119.

New South Wales Inscribed 4 per cent., January-July, 114.

New South Wales Inscribed 3½ per cent., April-October, 103¾.

Victoria 4½ per cent., 1904, January-July, 112.

Victoria, 4 per cent., 1907, January-July, 110.

Victoria Inscribed 4 per cent., January-July, 110.

Victoria Inscribed 4 per cent., April-October, 111.

South Australian Inscribed 4 per cent., April-October, 108½.

Queensland Inscribed 4 per cent., January-July, 107½.

Tasmanian 4 per cent. bonds, January-July, 108¾.

New Zealand 5 per cent. Consols, January-April, July-October, 104½.

New Zealand Inscribed 4 per cent. Consols, May-November, 98½.

West-Australian 4½ per cent. bonds, April-October, 108½.

West Australian 4 per cent. Inscribed, January-July, 105.

The money market is tending upward, owing to continued withdrawals of gold. The open market quotation for three months' bills is 1 5-8 per cent.

At yesterday's public auction of Australasian tallow, the number of casks offered was 1400, of which 1300 were sold. Fine mutton realised 24s. 6d. Beef, fine, 23s.

The copper market is tending upward. Chilian is quoted at £81 5s. per ton.

The tin market is changing a little for the worse. Straits is quoted at £87 15s.; Australian, £88 5s.

The market for pig iron is inclined to buoyancy. No. 1 Scotch, 44s. 6d. per ton.

The sugar market is declining and weak; the present quotation for German beet, 88 per cent., is 14s.; Java, 15s. 9d.

The English wheat market is advancing with increased firmness. The Continental markets show a general advance. The American market is firm.

The spot quotation in New York of No. 2 red winter wheat is 92 cents.

Australian wheat, ex warehouse, is quoted at 35s. per 496lb. New Zealand wheat, long berried, 35s.

Colonial peas are worth from 28s. per 504lb.

Australian flour, superfine, ex store, is quoted at 25s. per 280lb.

Arrivals of foreign wheat are moderate. Forward business is at an advance.

The off-coast wheat cargoes have mostly been sold.

Currants, fine Vostizza, are quoted at 24s.; good Patras, 22s. 6d.; Provincials, 21s.

Five thousand quarters of Australian wheat, September shipment, have been sold at 35s. per quarter.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The markets are quiet. Tea continues firm. Kerosene is weaker; medium best sold at 11d.

Transactions in stocks were numerous, the market closing early. Among investment stocks, Australian Deposit and Mortgage, Metropolitan Gas, Goldsbrough and Company, and Montgomery's Brewery realised advanced prices. Sales: Commercial Bank, £10 12s.; Federal Bank, 72s.

We call attention to the experience of a gentleman who for years suffered from the tortures of dyspepsia, for he strongly expressed his thankfulness for the benefit both himself and his wife received from taking, after meals, Row's Dandelion Bitters; —"We are different beings now. We can eat, sleep, and be happy." Anyone taking them will be ever healthy, provided he lives properly. Ask for Row's Dandelion Bitters.—[Advt.]

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

Melbourne, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
Adelaide, 4 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston, 4 and 7 p.m.
Queensland, 3 p.m.
Port Macquarie and Fernmount, 3 p.m.
Southern Ports of New Zealand and Wellington, 3.30 p.m.
Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, and Rio de Janeiro, 3.30 p.m.
Manning River, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY.

Richmond River, 10 a.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 3 p.m. and 4 p.m.
Clarence River, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

Launceston and Hobart, via Eden, 9 a.m.
Ulladulla, Merimbula, and Eden, 11 a.m.
Brisbane and Northern Ports, 4 p.m.
Noumea, Fiji, and New Hebrides, 4 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Perth (W. A.) and Continent of Europe, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Ormuz, 2.30 p.m.

United Kingdom, overland to Melbourne, and thence per Orient Company's steamer Ormuz, 3 p.m.
Auckland and all N.Z. Ports, 3 p.m.

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Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom, and certain foreign countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, George-street, for transmission per Orient Company's steamer Ormuz up to noon on MONDAY, the 30th July. Parcels not exceeding 2lb. in weight, 1s 6d; for every additional lb. or fraction thereof, 9d.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Right to Booths, Association Cricket Ground; Horses, &c.
A. WILSON and CO.—At Homebush, Cattle, &c.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 12, Cattle; at Stores, at 12 and 12.30, Wool, &c.
HILL, CLARK, and CO.—At Homebush, Cattle, &c.
J. LEEDS and CO.—At Homebush, at 11, Sheep.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle, &c.
T. SULLIVAN and SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Cattle.
WILKINSON and LAVENDER.—At Homebush, Sheep.
ELLIS and CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9.30, Hay, &c.
RICHARDSON and NIXON.—At Marrickville, at 12, Stock of a Pig and Poultry Farm.
G. T. CLARKE and CO.—At Campbell-street, Milson's Point, at 11, Furniture, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN.—Boots and Shoes, and Boot Web; at 2.30, Drawings, Paintings, &c.
HARDIE and GORMAN.—At Upper William-street South, at 11, Furniture, &c.
R. J. HUGHES and CO.—At 16, Ridge-street, Surry Hills, at 11, Furniture, &c.
E. FRENCH.—At 2, Trafalgar-street, Enmore, at 11, Furniture, &c.
H. HAINS.—At 19, Shaftesbury Gardens, at 2, Furniture, &c.
J. P. LISTER.—At Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.
J. B. TAYLOR and CO.—At Grosvenor-street, Woollahra, at 11, Furniture, &c.
J. G. FLEMING and SONS.—At 242, Pitt-street, at 11 and 2, Furniture, &c.
H. M'NAMARA.—At Meat Market, at 12, Beef, &c.
J. EVANS and CO.—At Meat Market, at 10, Beef, &c.
A. MOORE and CO.—At Bazaar, at 11, Pianos, Furniture, Cigars, &c.
W. INGLIS and SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.
ADRAIN and WINDROSS.—At 28, Oxford-street, Waverley, at 11, Millinery, Drapery, &c.
DUNN and WEBB.—At 579, George-street, at 10, Plant of a Restaurant; at Haymarket, Arcade, at 11, Plate Glass, Iron Columns, &c.; at Perry-street, Stanmore, at 2, Furniture, &c.
C. MOORE and CO.—At Rooms, at 11, Buggy Harness, Varnish, &c.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.—At 210½ and 212, Pitt-street, at 3, Building Materials.
T. COSGROVE.—At Bazaar, at 12, Horses, &c.
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MONDAY, JULY 30, 1888.

An inquiry into the circumstances attending the death of John Mandeville, an Irish Nationalist, showed that he died from ill-treatment when a political prisoner in Tullamore gaol.

The Turkomans have revolted, and have plundered several villages. There has been great loss of life.

Mr. Chamberlain, of Birmingham, says he does not regret having supported the Crimes Act, and insists that if ever Home Rule is agreed to, there will be civil war in Ireland.

Cardinal Moran has had a farewell audience with the Pope, and left for Ireland, where he will spend several weeks.

The match between the Australian Eleven and Yorkshire resulted in a draw. The score at the close stood—Yorkshire, first innings 107, second innings (nine wickets) 49; Australia, first innings 48.

A capture of four British sealing vessels has been made by the American authorities, for alleged infringement of the regulations.

The Local Government Bill has passed through the House of Commons, and has been read the first time in the House of Lords.

It is the intention of Mr. O'Donnell, the plaintiff in the late libel action against the *Times*, to move for a new trial.

The Victorian Minister for Agriculture says that the reason his Government refrain from increasing the stock tax is because they firmly believe that such action would bring about reprisals by the neighbouring colonies which would result unfortunately for Victoria.

The Maritime Labour Council at Adelaide are contemplating a general call out of men on board the various ships trading to Australian ports.

The financial prosperity of the New South Wales Typographical Association was reported on Saturday to be eminently satisfactory, their assets being £1144, an increase on last half-year's assets of £204.

This year is reported so far to have been the driest ever known in the Wilcannia district, only two inches of rain having fallen since its commencement.

An intercolonial football match, under British Association rules, was played on the Association Cricket Ground on Saturday, between teams representing New South Wales and Victoria. The Victorians won by 2 goals to 1.

A visit was paid to Albury on Saturday by Mr. Harrie Wood and Mr. T. W. David, representing the Prospecting Board, with the view of reporting on the application for shares of the prospecting vote. They were afterwards entertained at luncheon by the municipal council.

There has been received at the Land Office, Wilcannia, for the half-year, a sum of £2018 9s. 10d.

The half-yearly report presented to the New South Wales Typographical Association states that trade has been brisk, that distress amongst printers has diminished, and that no disputes of any importance have taken place.

At Wilcannia a man named Thomas Harris has been committed for trial on a charge of having smothered his infant child.

The stores of Messrs. Thomas and Madden, at Cooktown, have been destroyed by fire.

A general protest from the colonies interested has been forwarded to the Imperial Postmaster-General against the present day of the departure of the English mail from Adelaide. It is suggested that the best day for leaving would be Saturday.

Mr. Justice Windeyer has considered the report from Mr. Clarke on the Mount Rennie outrage case, and has come to the conclusion that the prisoners Newman, Miller, and Keegan were present at the scene, and were properly convicted.

The President of the Transvaal Republic promises to remain neutral in the matter of the rising in Zululand against English authority.

The Empress Victoria of Germany has given birth to a son. The Emperor and Empress have now a family of five sons.

Rear-Admiral Field states, in explanation of the attack he made on the Victorian Assembly, that his statement referred to a period prior to the year 1882, and he has expressed regret that his remarks should have been the means of causing a painful feeling in Victoria.

At a miners' conference at Lambton on Saturday, it was contended that the agreement lately submitted to the colliery proprietors provided a means for the settlement of disputes, and the Hunter River Miners' Association agreed to give 14 days' notice to cease work until an arrangement with the associated masters had been entered into.

The president of the Sydney Maritime Council has assured the Newcastle miners that in case of a strike they will have the support of the maritime labour societies.

The Queensland Government has decided to erect commodious drill-sheds in different parts of the colony with the view of encouraging the defence force.

Returns from Queensland show that the total gold yield for the half year, including alluvial, was 223,840oz.

The Rev. T. Boyce makes the "drink bill" of the colony for 1887 £4,614,585. This is a reduction of £517,207 on the year 1886. The amount per head was £4 10s. 3d., or 14s. 5d. less than last year.

A preliminary inquiry has been opened at Hobart into the loss of the General Picton.

The annual general inspection of the reserve forces was made on Saturday afternoon by Major-General Richardson, C.B.

The present is the coldest season that has been known in Tasmania for seven years.

Her Majesty has assented to the Marine Board Bill passed by the Victorian Parliament last session; but Mr. Gillies proposes to introduce an amending bill.

Five thousand quarters of Australian wheat has been sold in England at 35s. per quarter.

The hop gardens in England are reported to be infested with vermin. The crop is in a critical condition.

The Sydney Stock Exchange will be closed from Wednesday to Saturday next inclusive.

It has been decided to form a company to enter upon the wool manufacturing industry at Queanbeyan.

The rain which fell on Friday and Saturday appears to have been confined almost entirely to the coast and central districts. Only two stations in the Western division report rain, and but a few points fell.

At a meeting of the employees in all branches of the furniture trade, held under the auspices of the Trades and Labour Council on Saturday, it was resolved to form a union, to be called the United Furniture Trades Society of New South Wales.

At the Theatre Royal on Saturday Mr. Charles Warner appeared in the part of Coupeau in "Drink." He gave a very realistic performance, and was accorded a hearty reception.

The Newcastle Chamber of Commerce is seeking to obtain more suitable appliances for the local pilot service, and it is also desirous of having the dyke and wharfs lighted by electricity.

The Newtown Poultry, Pigeon, and Canary Exhibition was brought to a close on Saturday. Whilst the number and quality of the exhibits has been good, the show has not been a success financially.

At the Criterion Theatre "Modern Wives" was played for the first time on Saturday, at Her Majesty's the "Lights o' London" was repeated, at the New Opera House "Bright Hope" was staged.

Great activity is being displayed throughout the Melbourne Exhibition, in order to complete arrangements as far as possible by the opening day.

Sir Anthony Musgrave and party arrived from Brisbane on Saturday in the Government launch Lucinda. They intend to proceed overland to Melbourne.

The cable-repairing ship, in restoring communication on the 1871 Darwin-Java cable, recovered only one end of the break, from the appearance of which the ship reports the cause of the break to be doubtful. The ship is now at work on the duplicate cable.

We hope that Mr. M'Millan's views in regard to a further increase of taxation, as expressed at the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, will not be shared by those in authority. They are diametrically opposed to those we have had from some older and more experienced politicians. When Mr. S. A. Joseph, the chairman of the Chamber, expressed the opinion that retrenchment was needed, he more accurately represented the feeling of the country than Mr. M'Millan did in saying that the expenditure of the colony "was not so large," "that it would increase year after year," and that "we must obtain more revenue, and that, too, out of the general taxation of the people." In talking in this way Mr. M'Millan has failed to realise the actual situation. To his proposal to impose direct taxation on property should it be found necessary to do so, there can be no objection. But on the question of the necessity for this additional taxation there is abundant room for difference of opinion. Mr. M'Millan is quite correct in asking that from the annual public expenditure the amount required for railways and telegraphs should be excluded; for these are works not ordinarily pertaining to Government; but we question his statement that the amount left "is not so large when compared with the enormous territory we have to defend." If we examine the exact amount available for expenditure, and look at the outlay of other communities with even greater territory than New South Wales, we shall see that our revenue looks very large in comparison. Taking the returns for 1887, we find that our taxation revenue, or loss refunds, amounted to about £2,500,000, or

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very nearly £2 10s. per head of population. The total land revenue was £2,378,791; excluding railway, telegraphic, and interest on loan funds receipts, there was a balance of £820,000 of postal and other miscellaneous revenue, giving a total income of £5,698,000, or in excess of £5 10s. per head of the mean population of the year. This is the amount which Mr. M'MILLAN thinks ought to be supplemented by fresh taxation, but which others, with much more reason, think is a very ample income for the colony.

As we understand him, Mr. M'MILLAN objects to comparison with a densely populated country like England, the government of which, as we pointed out the other day, costs only 30s. per head, exclusive of the national debt and war charges, and not much more than £2 10s. per head, including that expenditure. If, then, we take the United States, with its immense area and charges, we find that in 1860, before the Civil war, an income of £11,680,000 sufficed to govern its 31,000,000 inhabitants; in round figures about 7s. 6d. per head. To this amount the State expenditure would have to be added, probably about 4s. 6d. more. Even in 1886-7, including 123,000,000 dollars for interest and pensions, the legacy of the war, and nearly 60,000,000 dollars, the cost of the army and the navy, the total expenditure of the United States was only 268,516,000 dollars—rather less than £1 per head of its population. If we exclude the amount of interest and pensions, the expenditure represents about 10s. per head for the internal and external government of a territory embracing 3,600,000 square miles. If we add to this the taxation of the various States, amounting in all in 1886-7 to about 63,000,000 dollars, or rather less than 4s. 6d. per head, we have the whole Government, both Federal and State, of the vast area of the United States, with 60,000,000 inhabitants, administered for about 15s., or including the cost of the war debt, 25s. per head, as compared with £5 10s., the cost of the Government of New South Wales on a peace footing.

If it is objected that the United States is more densely peopled than New South Wales, we may turn to Canada, where 5,000,000 inhabitants occupy an area embracing 3,500,000 square miles. In proportion to population Canada has a territory twice as large as New South Wales. Exclusive of the interest on the public debt, the Canadian expenditure in round figures in 1886 was £5,050,000, or about 21s. per head of the population, of which fully 3s. per head was special in connection with the suppression of the Indians. There was, besides, the State expenditure, of which we have no details. The State taxation of Canada, as distinguished from the Federal taxation, would probably be less than that of the United States. A very full estimate would give the Federal and State revenues of the Canadian Dominion an amount representing 25s. per head of the population. That is the figure which statistics show pertains to the United States. We have thus the two great Anglo-Saxon communities of America governed at an expenditure of 25s. per head. In the face of these figures, we can hardly find justification for the statement that £5 10s. per head is "not so large a revenue" for New South Wales, and that she must go on from year to year to increase her taxation. The taxation of Canada is less than 20s. per head; that of the United States is not more than 15s. per head. It cannot be said that New South Wales, with a taxation of £2 10s. per head, has not risen fully to her responsibilities. And with a land fund far exceeding that of either the United States or Canada, it is absurd to say that there is not sufficient revenue with judicious management to govern the country properly. As we have already pointed out, the expenditure has grown inordinately. Last year, despite the fact that the colony was not prosperous, the people contributed from taxation about 15s. per head more than was contributed ten years back. Our taxation is double that of the United States and Canada, and our expenditure nearly four times as great. The truth is that, whatever may be said of the necessity for increased taxation, we want that increase less than we want a firm policy of retrenchment. If Mr. M'MILLAN applies his business capacity to the study of the subject on which he has spoken, he will not find anything in the experience of the world to support his view that a total revenue of £2 10s per head from taxation, and more than twice as much from other sources, is insufficient. If he will go back twenty years, he will find that half as much sufficed for the good government of New South Wales; and even that was twice the amount required in other parts of the world.

There are always two sides to a story. No department of our public service, with perhaps the exception of the Railways, has received so much criticism as the Post Office. The attendants and the carriers have been blamed for negligence and inattention; the service has been abused for want of regularity and promptitude; and the accusation of general inefficiency has frequently been made. It is not often that the department has a chance to retaliate, but the chance does come once a-year, when the Postmaster-General's Report is published. One of the complaints against the department is that letters are allowed to go astray; but the report published last week shows that those who use the Post Office are very careless themselves. Out of 41,871,900 letters posted in the colony during the year 1887, 28,873 were returned as unstamped or insufficiently addressed, while 2608 registered letters were returned or were unclaimed. Thus one out of every 1460 letters posted was insufficiently stamped or addressed, and there were no doubt 28,073 complaints made privately or publicly when the letters did not reach their destination, and these thousands of complaints would be in most cases undeserved by the department. The number of irregular letters is very large. It represents an average of about 79 per day. The complaints and protests that arise regarding these letters are never credited to the department when the real state of affairs is known, and the public go on not unwillingly believing that the service is in a sad way. If, however, the people who have wrongly addressed their letters or insufficiently stamped them would consider the promptitude with which the Post Office authorities act generally in returning letters there would be more praise than blame given. It is no uncommon thing for a letter unstamped and containing a cheque to be returned to the sender the day after it is posted. Promptitude in such things is most commendable, and ought to strengthen faith in our Post Office Department.

But it is so very easy to find fault with the public service. It cannot fight back, and the community likes to have the privilege of abusing what it regards as its property. No part of the public service is worked harder than the Postal Department, and none has greater responsibility. It is frequently blamed, sometimes with justice perhaps, but the wonder is that fewer irregularities are not charged against it. Last year, out of 2964 persons engaged in the department, sixteen persons were removed from the service, four of whom were imprisoned and the rest dismissed. Considering the temptations with which the workers in the department are beset, the number of delinquents is small. It is to be understood that only the four who were imprisoned committed any crime, and that the remainder were dismissed for other causes, possibly negligence, incapacity, &c. It is therefore evident that our postal service is neither very corrupt nor very badly managed. Many good things we might have in it that we have not, and it cannot be said to be free from some redtapeism and habits of circumlocution; but on the whole there is not room for much condemnation. It is useless to expect perfection. That is impossible in any human institution. It is also useless to hope that criminal irregularities will not occur. There are black sheep everywhere, and there can be no guarantee against their wickedness. The most exalted of institutions of this world has those "who steal the livery of Heaven to serve the Devil in," and what can be expected of that which is not so exalted? In all things in this life certain chances must be taken, and against them there can be no perfect assurance. A letter going astray has perhaps at times changed the course of events for the life of many a one, and caused a world of inconvenience and trouble; but the whole business of life is made up of ventures, and no defined result can be assured. It is Touchstone's "if" that is the question. If the natural thing occurs, the desired result is obtained; but the unnatural, the abnormal, may possibly happen. Therefore, if any institution such as the Postal Department is not perfect in its working, the human agency has gone wrong somewhere; and that is to be expected at times, just as these 28,673 unstamped or insufficiently addressed letters show that the human agency as seen in the public body may be at fault.

Nothing is more encouraging in the POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S report than the record of the Savings Bank. The number of accounts at the close of the year was 64,002, and the average deposit was nearly £23 10s. This represents not far from £1 10s. deposit for every person in the colony. The record of the savings bank is a guide, though not an infallible one, to the condition of the people. Mr. GIFFEN, in his address to the British Association of Science last year in England, pointed out, in connection with the so-called depression of trade in England, that the savings banks deposits had steadily increased, and that the wealth of the country had become more evenly distributed; that, while profits of employers had sensibly diminished, the wages of the employed had sensibly increased. In this country the working people have things a good deal their own way. Their wages are high, and work is, in comparison with other countries, constant. There is no bad winter weather to stay the hand of the bricklayer, or mason, or carpenter. He can work the year round if he chooses. Whether the Australian workman is generally frugal is another question. We do not incline at all to the belief that he is. This is a favoured land, and the tendency is to live luxuriously, and enjoy life while it passes. Still, the evidence afforded by the Post Office Savings Bank is indicative of some foresight, frugality, and prudence on the part of a large number of the people. It would be interesting to know what sum altogether was put away in savings banks and other such institutions last year. With this information some idea could be formed of the general prosperity. This branch of the Postal Department does great service to the country, and it would be wished that it was more universally used by the people. Altogether, the report of the MINISTER may be said to be satisfactory.

Amongst the subjects referred to at the annual meeting of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce by the CHAIRMAN, in his comprehensive and able address, was the invitation received by the Chamber to send delegates to an Intercolonial Conference of Chambers of Manufacturers on the subject of "Intercolonial Free Trade." Our Chamber of Commerce declined to accept the invitation, and Mr. JOSEPH explained, with some fulness, the reason why. He recounted the endeavours made at various times from 1857 downwards to establish the trading relations between the Australian colonies on a better basis. These endeavours have uniformly failed, and in the nature of the case further endeavours on the same lines must continue to fail, until the colonies are all prepared to regulate their fiscal policy by the same principles. Mr. JOSEPH points out that on one occasion negotiations were absolutely stopped so far as New South Wales was concerned, by Victoria declaring that "She could not consider any proposition that would reverse or abandon her present tariff of discriminating duties." Until we are prepared to enter upon a policy of discriminating duties, it is difficult to see how any union or agreement with Victoria can be effected. Victoria must give up protection, or we must give up free trade. But why should the Chamber of Commerce, which is understood to be identified with the cause of free trade, have refused to send delegates to an Intercolonial Free Trade Conference? Mr. JOSEPH says the title of the Conference was a misnomer. The real object was "to obtain in New South Wales for the producers and manufacturers of Victoria the same advantages over the manufacturers and producers of all other parts of the Empire and the world as they have within their own colony under a system of protective duties. What was, therefore, termed reciprocity and intercolonial free trade was, in reality, the worst form of protection." We have no doubt that Mr. JOSEPH is right, and that the Chamber of Commerce had sufficient ground for holding aloof from these proceedings. In the main neither a conference nor special negotiations should be necessary to establish reciprocity between Victoria and New South Wales. We admit, with some few exceptions, both produce and manufactures from Victoria duty free. They have only to return the compliment by abolishing the duties on corresponding articles imported from New South Wales. But from what is occurring even now in Victoria—from the agitation for more protection and from the fear of the Government to take a step in the direction of free trade—it is clear that there is no prospect of an arrangement upon such a basis as this. At present with a tariff in which free-trade principles prevail we have no concession to offer to Victoria in return for concessions on her side, and it is apparent that what our neighbours desire is first that we should establish a protective policy, and then that we should surrender it as far as they are concerned in return for their surrender of the protection they have set up against us, the net result of which would be that for their sakes we should hamper our relations with the rest of the world. This would be a violation of free-trade principle on our side; and it is difficult to see how any New South Wales protectionist could consistently give such a scheme his support.

The Mariposa, mail steamer, having arrived with Chinese stokers on board, is understood to be under the screw of the Maritime Labour Council, as the Alameda was a short time ago. There may be some pleasure just now in being a shipowner, and being relieved in this way of the trouble of managing one's own business; but it must be still more pleasing to those who afford this relief to know that they have the screw under their own control, and that they can give it an additional turn whenever they are disposed to do so. To regulate the management of a business without providing any of the capital invested in it must be a luxury. The only drawback is that luxuries are apt to cloy, and that over-indulgence in them will sometimes produce inconvenient results. In this case, if the screw be turned a little too far, the pressure may be felt where at present it is hardly expected. A few days ago the agents of the China S.S. Company were informed by the secretary of the Maritime Labour Council that on and after September 12 the members of the various bodies affiliated to the council would neither hew, trim, nor coal any of the company's steamships employing Asiatics, nor do any general cargo work until the Asiatics were replaced by Australian labour. Asiatics are employed on the P. and O. Company's mail ships. Will that company next be served with a writ of ejectment? It would be rash to forstell the precise consequences that would follow in that case. In the other, however, there is a glimpse of possibilities. There is at Hongkong, we are informed, a sharp competition between Australian coal and Japanese coal. If the former is the better, the latter is the cheaper. A trade of about 4500 tons of coal per month has for some years past been carried from Australia to Hongkong by steamer; and if through new regulations introduced into the trade by the Maritime Council, the balance of advantage should be thrown on the side of the Japanese coal, the Australian trade may cease. The coal-miners affiliated to the Maritime Council would then suffer. This in a small way is an illustration of the greater danger that may attend too energetic attempts to regulate the management of productive industry and commercial enterprise by the far-reaching influence of combined labour unions. The new principle of combination or affiliation may seem at first to promise a large development of power; but it is not at all unlikely that this may be counterbalanced by a wider and more rapid development of awkward results. The more extensive the operation of this principle of combination, the greater will be the disturbance and dislocation of all forms of enterprise which should be sources of employment under ordinary conditions; and those by whom this will be most keenly felt will be the men—and their wives and families—who will be deprived of the necessaries of life, and not those who will merely find themselves cramped in their commercial or its superfluities.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

We are informed that the cable-repairing ship in restoring communication on the 1871 Darwin-Java cable recovered only one end of the break, from the appearance of which the ship reports the cause of the break doubtful. The ship is now at work on the duplicate cable, and, as all recovered ends are kept for inspection, the cause of the breaks may yet be determined. The s.s. Recorder has been ordered, when the duplicate line is restored, to go and sound the route for the Java-West Australian cable. The Colonial Office has undertaken to arrange landing rights for the new cable, and the contract for its manufacture and laying has already been entered into. It is proposed to land the end of the new cable at Beagle Bay, near King's Sound.

The question about altering the day for the departure of the Australian mails from Adelaide remains in *statu quo*. The decision of the Imperial Postmaster-General and the Peninsular and Oriental Company in favour of the existing arrangements is adhered to. The mails now leave Adelaide on Mondays, and there being no Sunday trains between here and Melbourne, nor between Melbourne and Adelaide, it is necessary to despatch the mails from Sydney on Thursdays. These mails arrive in Adelaide on the Saturday and must remain there till the following Monday—a considerable loss of time. The proposal now is that the day of departure from Adelaide should be Saturday or any other day by which this loss of time would be saved. A joint protest from the colonies interested has already been forwarded to the Imperial Postmaster-General, and the Postmaster-General of Victoria (Mr. F. T. Derham), now proposes that another protest should be sent. Our Postmaster-General (Mr. Roberts) has received a communication to this effect from Mr. Derham, and proposes either to reply by letter to-day, or on his visit to Melbourne during the present week to have a personal interview with that gentleman on the subject.

The minute of the Minister of Justice respecting the Mount Rennie outrage has been dealt with by Mr. Justice Windeyer, just before the recent session of Parliament closed the Minister of Justice made a statement to the House, in which he said that after carefully examining the evidence in regard to the prisoners Newman, Miller, and Keegan, and the report of the judge to the Executive Council, a doubt was left in his mind as to whether these prisoners were really on the scene of the outrage at all. He had therefore sent a minute to Mr. Justice Windeyer calling attention to what he considered a discrepancy in that gentleman's report. On Friday afternoon Mr. Clarke received a report from the Judge in reply to his minute. Having carefully considered the report, the Minister has come to the conclusion that the prisoners named were present at the scene of the outrage, and were properly convicted. The report, Mr. Clarke says, is so clear, full, and satisfactory that he has no longer any doubt in the matter, and when in Melbourne, having left Sydney for that city on Saturday afternoon, he will prepare a minute expressing this opinion, to be recorded in the office with the other papers.

The annual inspection of the Reserve Force, the 5th and 6th Regiments, was made on Saturday afternoon, by Major General Richardson, C.B. Commanding the Forces. The heavy rain of the morning and the cold and threatening-like aspect of the afternoon, interfered to a large extent with the proceedings and the attendance of the members of the Reserve and public. Major-General Richardson was accompanied by Major Mackenzie, Assistant Adjutant-General, whilst the parade was under the direct control of Lieutenant-Colonel Eden and Captain Bouverie, Adjutant of the Reserves. The regiments, being the Scottish Rifles and Metropolitan Infantry, to the total number of 142 men, appeared on parade at the Victoria Barracks a little prior to 4 o'clock. After the General had made a close inspection of their uniforms and arms they were given battalion drill in close and extended order, under command of Captains Mullarky, Watson, Sparkes, Campbell, and Lieutenant Robertson. Column and line formations, advancing and retiring, firing and retiring, and formations for cavalry, formed part of the various movements in which the companies were exercised. The Scottish Rifles looked an effective body of men, and exhibited very much greater efficiency than the 6th Regiment, but the fact of there being so many absent from the ranks deprived the movements and the inspection of a great deal of interest.

On Saturday evening the members of the literary staff of the *Sydney Morning Herald*, *Sydney Mail*, and *Echo* entertained Mr. Charles Lyne at a banquet at Gunsler's Café, Pitt-street, upon the occasion of his resigning the position of leader of the *Herald* reporting staff to take that of secretary to the Public Works Board. A very choice and excellently served repast was provided, to which about 25 gentlemen sat down, Mr. W. Curnow being in the chair, with the guest of the evening upon his right hand. "The Queen" and "The Governor" were enthusiastically toasted. The chairman, in proposing the health of Mr. Lyne, referred to the services that gentleman had rendered to the public in his capacity as a journalist, and pointed out that he would still be able to do great public service, though in a different sphere. He spoke of the kindly relations which had existed between Mr. Lyne and all those with whom he had had to work in the office, and concluded by expressing the warmest wishes for Mr. Lyne's future welfare. The toast was received by the company with the greatest enthusiasm. Mr. Lyne feelingly returned thanks, and hoped that in leaving the office he would not become the less friendly with those who had done such hard and faithful work with him. He reminded them of the arduous nature of the work to be done by a reporting staff, and the necessity for the strictest discipline to be preserved. He assured them he had endeavoured never to be unduly hard upon them in apportioning their several duties, and he thanked them for the ready and willing assistance he had always received at their hands. Mr. A. Britton then proposed—"Messrs. John Fairfax and Sons," which was duly honoured, and responded to by Mr. G. E. Fairfax and Mr. J. O. Fairfax on behalf of the firm. The health of the chairman was cordially honoured, and the rest of the evening was spent in harmony and social enjoyment.

The Australian Eleven, not long after they commenced their matches in England, had the misfortune to lose the services of a dashing player in S. P. Jones, who, it will be remembered, was laid up with a serious illness at Nottingham. The report was that Jones had been attacked by rheumatic fever; but it appears that his illness was of a different nature. The London correspondent of the Melbourne *Age*, writing on 22nd June, says that Jones was attacked by smallpox, and that "when this was discovered he was removed from the private apartments he had occupied and placed in the Smallpox Hospital at Nottingham. The matter, for obvious reasons, was kept quiet, and fortunately no evil effects have followed from the other members of the Australian Eleven having avoided the unwelcome detention on their tour, which must have followed on the real nature of their comrade's illness being generally known. For some time it was feared that Jones would not recover, but it will be learned with pleasure in the colonies that at last accounts he was out of immediate danger and going on well."

At the medical examinations at home in June last, Mr. Robert Thompson, jun., M.R.C.S. and L.R.C.P., of Guy's Hospital, London, late of the Sydney Grammar School, obtained his degree of Bachelor of Medicine. He will now take another 12 months' hospital practice, and then return to his native city.

MAJOR DANE, who has been lecturing with great success in Sydney for three weeks past, gives his two last lectures to-night and to-morrow night, repeating, by the request of several leading citizens, "Up the Rhine and over the Alps" and "America, the Marvel of the Ages," respectively.

The following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral this afternoon at 4.30:—Magnificat, Winchester in F; Nunc Dimittis, Winchester in F; anthem, "Turn Thee again, O Lord" (Attwood).

The following is the report of the Prince Alfred Hospital for the week ending 28th July, 1888:—Number of in-patients at last report, 111 males, 64 females; since admitted, 19 males, 19 females; discharged, 24 males, 8 females; died, 4 males, 1 female; remaining in hospital on 28th July, 102 males, 74 females; number of out-patients treated during the week, 344; number of casualty cases treated but not admitted, 169: total, 513.

THE AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN IN ENGLAND.

AUSTRALIA V. YORKSHIRE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

The Australian Eleven commenced a match to-day against Yorkshire. The home team went in first, and scored 107. Ulyett played a dashing innings for 48.

In the bowling, Turner took five wickets for 23 runs, Ferris three for 40, and Worrall two for 21.

The Australians in their first innings were disposed of for a total of 48, of which, Trott contributed 28 by good play. M'Donnell was unable to bat, in consequence of an accident.

In their second innings Yorkshire had lost six wickets for 22 runs when the stumps were drawn for the day.

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The match between Yorkshire and the Australians was resumed to-day. Nine wickets had fallen for a total of 49, when heavy rain set in and put a stop to the play.

The match was abandoned.

The following are the scores:—

YORKSHIRE.

First innings..	107
Second innings, 9 wickets	49

AUSTRALIA.

First innings..	48

RESULTS OF MATCHES.

The following are the results of the matches already played by the Australian Eleven:—

Australia v. Thornton's Eleven: Won by Australia with six wickets to spare.

Australia v. Warwickshire: Won by Australia by an innings and 150 runs.

Australia v. Surrey: Won by Australia by an innings and 154 runs.

Australia v. Oxford University: Won by Australia by an innings and 19 runs.

Australia v. Yorkshire: Won by Australia by an innings and 64 runs.

Australia v. Lancashire: Won by Lancashire by 22 runs.

Australia v. the Gentlemen of England: Drawn.

Australia v. The Players: Won by the Players by 10 wickets.

Australia v. Nottinghamshire: Won by Nottinghamshire by 10 wickets.

Australia v. Cambridge University: Drawn.

Australia v. Oxford University Past and Present: Won by Australia by 74 runs.

Australia v. Middlesex: Won by Australia by eight wickets and 1 run.

Australia v. England: Won by Australia by 10 wickets and 2 runs.

Australia v. Marylebone Club and Ground: Won by Australia by 14 runs.

Australia v. Yorkshire: Drawn.

Australia v. North of England: Won by Australia by 5 wickets.

Australia v. Liverpool and District: Won by Australia by 130 runs.

Australia v. Leicestershire: Won by Leicestershire by 20 runs.

Australia v. Derbyshire: Won by Australia by one innings and 79 runs.

Australia v. an English Eleven at Stoke: Won by Australia by one innings and 135 runs.

Australia v. England (test match): Won by Australia by 61 runs.

Australia v. Sussex: Won by Sussex by 58 runs.

Australia v. Cambridge University Past and Present: Drawn.

Australia v. Yorkshire: Drawn.

THE "TIMES" AND THE PARNELLITES.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

It is reported that, in consequence of pressure having been brought to bear by the Gladstonian party, Mr. Parnell will probably bring an action for libel against the *Times* in Scotland, unless the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the charges made by the *Times* against Mr. Parnell and other members of the Irish party be limited to specific members of the Parnellite party.

Mr. O'Donnell, the plaintiff in the recent libel action against the *Times*, in which a verdict was returned for defendant, intends to move for a new trial.

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.

THE MEASURE IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

The Local Government Bill having been passed by the House of Commons, has been introduced in the House of Lords.

The bill was read a first time.

THE ATTACK ON THE VICTORIAN ASSEMBLY.

EXPLANATION BY REAR-ADMIRAL FIELD.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

In the House of Commons this evening, Rear-Admiral Field made an explanation of the statement to which he gave utterance in the House to the effect that a very able man of great wealth in Victoria had told him that any number of men could be bribed in the Victorian Legislative Assembly.

Rear-Admiral Field explained that his statement referred to a period prior to the year 1882. He expressed his regret that his remarks should have been the means of causing a painful feeling in Victoria.

THE PAN-ANGLICAN CONFERENCE.

DESIGNATION OF PRIMATES AS ARCHBISHOPS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

The Pan-Anglican Conference, which is sitting at Lambeth, is favourable to the proposal that Primates in the colonies and India should be designated Archbishops.

THE RISING IN ZULULAND.

NEUTRALITY OF THE TRANSVAAL REPUBLIC.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

S. J. Paul Kruger, President of the Transvaal Republic, has promised General Smythe that we will observe a strict neutrality in regard to the rising in Zululand fomented by Dinizulu against British authority.

CAPTURE OF BRITISH SEALERS.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

The American authorities have captured four British sealing vessels in Behring Straits for an alleged infringement of the regulations.

THE HOP GARDENS IN ENGLAND.

INFESTED WITH VERMIN.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

The hop gardens are in a critical condition. The vines are infested with vermin, and it is feared that they will be attacked with blight.

SANDOWN PARK SECOND SUMMER MEETING.

THE ECLIPSE STAKES.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

At the Sandown Park Second Summer Meeting to-day the contest for the Eclipse Stakes came off, with the following result:—

THE ECLIPSE STAKES of 10,000 sovs., with 500 sovs. in addition for the secondhorse. Three-year-olds to carry 8st. 8lb., four 9st. 6lb.; mares and geldings allowed 3lb. 1¼ mile.

Duke of Westminster's ch c Orbit, by Bend Or—
Fair Alice, 3 years, 8st. 8lb. 1

Duke of Westminster's ch c Oasory, by Bend Or—
Lily Agnes, 3 years, 8st. 8lb. 2

Mr. F. Douglas's ch c Martley, by Doncaster—Lady Margarette, 4 years, 9st. 6lb. 3

[The Sandown Park racing authorities instituted the Eclipse Stakes in 1883, and the conditions were by subscription of 10 sovs. each, the only forfeit if declared by October 7, 1884; 30 sovs. if declared by January 6, 1885; 60 sovs. if declared in January 5, 1886; and 110 sovs. for horses left in after that date. The first contest for that event was held on July 23, 1886, when Mr. A. T. Barclay's famous racehorse Bendigo, by Ben Battle, carried 9st. 7lb. to Victory, three lengths in front of Lord Alington's Candlemas, 8st. 7lb., with Mr. J. Hammond's St. Gatien, 9st. 10lb., half a length off third. The event was allowed to lapse on the succeeding year, when the Jubilee Handicap of 3000 sovs. was substituted and came off over the same course. The conditions for the event which has just been decided differed somewhat from those of the first race. They provided for a subscription of five guineas each for foals and 10 guineas each for yearlings, the only forfeit if declared by the first Tuesday in October, 1886; if left in after that date a further subscription of 20 guineas; if left in after the first Tuesday in March, 1887, a further subscription of 30 guineas; if left in after the first Tuesday in January, 1888, a further subscription of 50 guineas. The subscribers for this event numbered 194, 58 of whom paid first forfeit.]

THE DEATH OF AN IRISH NATIONALIST.

RESULT OF THE INQUIRY.

ALLEGED BRUTAL TREATMENT IN GAOL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

An inquiry has been held at Mitchelstown into the circumstances attending the death, on July 8, of John Mandeville, an Irish Nationalist, whose decease is alleged to have been brought about by the ill-treatment to which he was subjected while a political prisoner in Tullamore Gaol.

The jury returned a verdict to the effect that the death of Mandeville was due to brutal and unjustifiable treatment in Tullamore Gaol.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN ON HOME RULE.

SPEECH AT BIRMINGHAM.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

Mr. Joseph Chamberlain delivered a speech at Birmingham to-day, in the course of which he referred to the Irish policy of the Government. He declared that he never for an instant regretted the support which he gave to the Crimes Bill. He felt convinced that, if ever Mr. Gladstone passed a measure for Home Rule, he would have to face a civil war in Ireland. Ulster, Mr. Chamberlain added would never submit to be controlled by a Parliament sitting in Dublin.

REVOLT IN CENTRAL ASIA.

VILLAGES PLUNDERED, WITH GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 28.

The Yammoods, one of the Turcoman tribes, inhabiting the country east of the Caspian, in Central Asia, have broken out into open revolt.

Several villages were plundered, and great loss of life has been caused.

CARDINAL MORAN IN IRELAND.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

Cardinal Moran had a farewell audience of his Holiness the Pope on Wednesday last, and left for Dublin yesterday. He will spend several weeks in Ireland.

BIRTH OF A GERMAN PRINCE.

[BY CABLE.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 27.

The Empress Victoria, of Germany, has given birth to a son.

[The Emperor and Empress of Germany have now a family of five sons, namely, Prince Frederick William Friedrich Christian Karl, born May 6, 1882; Prince Wilhelm Ettel Friedrich Christian Karl, born July 7, 1883; Prince Adalbert, born July 14, 1884; Prince August Wilhelm, born January 29, 1887; and the infant prince whose birth is now recorded by cable.]

THE VICTORIAN STOCK TAX.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

At a banquet at St. Arnaud on Friday night, Mr. Dow, Minister for Lands, in replying to the toast of "The Ministry," referred to the stock tax. He said the reason the Government refrained from increasing the tax was because they firmly believed such action at the present time would bring reprisals by the neighbouring colonies which would result in most unfortunate circumstances for this colony. The prevailing feeling was in favour of protection. Who knew but that Sir Henry Parkes, wishing to maintain the leadership of the Government in New South Wales, might not seize the advantage given by the increased border duties of declaring in favour of a protective policy? The only result of an increased tax would be an addition to the revenue, and Sir Henry Parkes might by prohibitive duties shut out a million and a-half of exports from Victoria. What was to prevent the imposition of an export coal duty, ruining the Victorian manufacturers and the consumer of farmers' produce? When federation was talked about, it was certainly not judicious to give a friendly neighbour a slap in the face.

THE WRECK OF THE GENERAL PICTON.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

HOBART, SUNDAY.

A preliminary inquiry into the wreck of the General Picton was held at Launceston on Friday. The chief officer, second officer, and two seamen were examined. A report has been forwarded to the Government in order to obtain an opinion as to whether a further investigation is necessary. Captain Morgan is suffering from typhoid fever.

LARGE FIRE AT COOKTOWN.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, SATURDAY.

Messrs. Thomas and Madden's stores at Cooktown, together with their contents, were destroyed by fire early this morning. The fire was confined to their premises alone, there being no wind blowing at the time. The adjoining hotel and store were, however, in great danger, and were saved with great difficulty. Messrs. Thomas and Madden have already commenced the erection of a temporary store. The premises destroyed were insured in the North British and Mercantile offices for £1200, and the stock in several companies for £9425. The premises and stock were valued at from £18,000 to £20,000.

THE WEATHER.

On Saturday a very decided change in the weather from that which has been experienced of late took place. Rain fell nearly all night on Friday, and continued off and on up to Saturday at noon, when a lull occurred. The rain clouds then seemed to disappear very quickly, for by night time the sky was cloudless. Several places and townships along the coast reported rain, and in nearly all places the rain was gladly welcomed and greatly appreciated. Yesterday the weather was very threatening for rain; however, none fell. The wind had apparently gone round into the south, and the atmosphere yesterday evening was quite mild.

THE TRAMWAY FRAUDS.

A rumour is in circulation that other Frauds are being perpetrated in this city, proof having been forthcoming that the popular liquor, Wolfe's Schnapps, is being imitated.—[ADVT.]

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INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

R. Goldsbrough and Co., Limited, report the sale on Saturday of several station properties, the chief being the Mornalong Estate, near Corowa, New South Wales, comprising 82,750 acres of freehold and 90,000 sheep. The property was bought by Horsfall and Sproule. They also sold the Kerarberg Estate, on the Murrumbidgee, containing 120,000 acres of freehold and 116,000 sheep and lambs, bought by J. S. Horsfall and Co.

The barque Lindsay, from Puget Sound, went aground at the No. 5 buoy in the South Channel on Saturday.

John Henry Harman, a seaman belonging to H.M.S. Calliope, disappeared on Saturday night. He was brought overland from Sydney by the master-at-arms, and placed on board when the vessel arrived. It is believed he escaped through one of the port holes, and got into the dingy, which has since been picked up 10 miles down the bay. It is thought the man has been drowned.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, SUNDAY.

It is understood that with the object of encouraging the Defence Force to increased interest and activity in the acquirement of military knowledge, the Government has decided to erect commodious drillsheds in various parts of the colony.

An agitation has been commenced for the release of the men who were imprisoned in connection with the kidnapping on board the schooner Hopeful. A public demonstration will be held next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews, of the Mulgoa aboriginal mission, were present at the usual evangelistic service in the Courier Hall to-night. The hall was crowded, and hundreds were unable to get in. A meeting will be held to-morrow night to take steps to form an aboriginal mission.

The Queensland Lancashire Association will entertain the English footballers at a banquet and ball during their visit to Brisbane.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, SATURDAY.

It is reported here on good authority that the Maritime Labour Council have resolved to make a general call out shortly of men on board various ships trading to ports throughout Australasia.

SUNDAY.

Mr. James Hosking, who had been an inspector of schools under the Education Act since 1874, died this morning, aged 66.

At Dry Creek station on Saturday evening a mixed train collided with a passenger train from Terowie. The points were turned wrongly. No person was injured.

It is understood that an investigation will shortly be held at the Church Office by Dean Marryat, as the Bishop's Commissary, assisted by assessors, into certain charges against the Rev. J. H. Donaldson, of Kapunda.

Several members of both Houses of Legislature leave for Melbourne by the express train at 6.45 p.m. on Monday morning. The Premier and Chief Secretary will be amongst the number.

The Select Committee appointed to enquire into the wreck of the Star of Greece met on Saturday morning. Amongst the witnesses examined was the Premier.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, SUNDAY.

On Friday night the Governor, accompanied by Lady Hamilton and Miss Hamilton, and the Premier, Attorney-General, Treasurer, and members of the Parliament, left by special train for Launceston, en route for the Exhibition.

The present is the coldest winter for the past seven years.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL AT ALBANY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, SATURDAY.

The Orient R.M.S. Cuzco, — Nixon, commander, arrived from Plymouth at 10 a.m. The following are the saloon passengers:—

For ADELAIDE: Mr. Stanway.

For MELBOURNE: Mr. and Mrs. Gar[illegible] Messrs. Anderson, Atkinson, Bonn, Butterworth, Carlyle, Henry, Hinch[illegible], Kelly, Rimpler, Minogue, Sykes, Taylor, [illegible]dale, Waters, Yates, Miss Gardner, Captain Stanley.

For SYDNEY: Mr. and Mrs. Delaney and child, Mr. and Mrs. Moore and son, Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Messrs. Baller, Brown, Clapin, Green, Jebb, Main, Nathan, M'Intyre, Searle, Thorne, Weir, Mrs. Gifford, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Robinson, and Miss Watts.

For BRISBANE: Messrs. Thompson and M'Intyre.

For NEW ZEALAND: Mr. Kitto, Miss Southall.

The Cuzco also brings 244 for all ports in other classes.

THE VICTORIAN MARINE BOARD BILL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

On Saturday the Premier received a cablegram from the Agent-General announcing that the Queen had assented to the Marine Board Act passed last session. Mr. Gillies will introduce a bill to amend certain portions of the Act objected to, but he considers that some of the protests of the Board of Trade against a portion of the Act so infringe on the self-governing powers of the colony that he could not accept them, while passing the amending bill, insisted on by the British Government. After that is assented to, he will seek to re-enact certain portions of the clauses which he is compelled to repeal, reviving portions of the Act which he considers local, and will challenge the Board of Trade to endeavour to affect legislation which he considers essentially Victorian.

MINERS' CONFERENCE AT NEWCASTLE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, SATURDAY.

A miners' conference was held at Lambton to-day. About 2000 were present, all the collieries being represented. Mr. R. Goundry, the miners' chairman, presided. The roll of miners' lodges was called. Most answered, but in consequence of the heavy rain many went away. The chairman explained that the reason of calling the meeting was to read the proposed agreement with the masters, and then obtain a decision from the whole body of miners as to what steps should be taken under the circumstances. Mr. J. Middleby moved the first resolution as follows:—"That in the opinion of this meeting the agreement submitted to the colliery proprietors on Saturday, 21st July, provides a means for the settlement of existing disputes and others that may arise, and that we urge upon the associated proprietors the immediate adoption of the same." Mr. T. Hicks, of the Burwood Lodge, seconded the motion. Mr. C. Johnson, Wallsend Lodge, supported the motion, which was carried unanimously. Mr. J. Errington, Stockton Lodge, moved the second resolution,—"That the Hunter River miners give 14 days' notice to cease work until an agreement with the Associated Masters is entered into, and that the notices be tendered after the receipt of the agreement, should it be considered unsatisfactory." Mr. J. Frith, South Waratah, seconded the motion, which was supported by Mr. M'Allister, Wickham, Bullock Island. Mr. Davis, president of the Sydney Maritime Council, said he was there to assure the miners that in the event of a strike they would have the support of all the maritime labour societies in Australasia. This statement was received with great cheering. Mr. Ellis, vice-president of the same society, endorsed this promise. Mr. James Curley, Miners General Secretary, then made a long speech in favour of resisting the attempts of the employers to reduce the prices. He also reviewed the former cases, in which he said that but for strikes the miners would have got nothing, but would have been continually trodden upon. His speech was well received. A miner named Joseph Hay got up and said he considered the meeting was premature. They should have waited till the masters' agreement had been brought forward. Mr. W. Patrick (Co-operative), spoke in favour of the resolution, which was carried, with only one dissentient, namely, Hay. The proceedings closed at half-past 1 with votes of thanks to Messrs. Davis and Ellis, of the Maritime Association, the chairman, and the press.

THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

ACTIVITY IN THE VARIOUS COURTS.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE OPENING DAY.

DISSATISFACTION AMONGST THE BRITISH EXHIBITORS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

Great activity has been displayed throughout the Exhibition to complete the arrangements, as far as possible, by the opening day. The American court is in a very backward state, but the workmen are pushing on expeditiously with the arch and decorations fronting the avenue of nations. This avenue will present a very fine appearance on the opening day. There are various designs of great richness and taste, many of the decorations being very effective. The German Court is the most advanced of any; but it requires a good many finishing touches. New Zealand is next in order of preparation. The South Australian, and Austro-Hungarian Courts are well advanced. Good progress is being made with the Victorian Court. Queensland is backward, but having the show-cases ready and possessing only a small space, they will make a good display. The minor courts are backward, and some are without anything done worth mentioning, but they are situated well away, and will not detract from the appearance of the main avenue. In the British Court great progress has been made. Numerous exhibits are being arranged in handsome cases of various designs. The Belgian Court in the main building has been delayed through the non-arrival of exhibits, but the steamer Hankow entered port with them on board on Wednesday, and every effort will be made to put the court into something like order.

The interior of the main building will present a fairly finished appearance. In the New South Wales Court the officials have been working most indefatigably day and night. The mineral section, which Mr. Carne is arranging, is a splendid commentary on the wealth of the colony, the section being set off with a coal arch of immense blocks of coal, trophies of silver, tin, copper, exhibits of gold and wool, &c. The arch, with its attached specimens of wool of various qualities forms a most conspicuous object. Mr. G. H. Maiden is making great progress with the arrangement of the technological section. Mr. Oscar Meyer, likewise in the picture and art section, expects to have the pictures hung on Monday. The model of the Jenolan Caves excites admiration for its truthful delineation of the caves, themselves. Mr. Wilson, the caretaker of the caves, expresses surprise at their faithfulness. The frontage to the Court in the Avenue of Nations is set off with handsome arches, canopies of rich trophies and decorations, great attention having been paid to these details. The decorations of the British Court frontage opposite the New South Wales Court is in striking contrast. The New South Wales Court will be far advanced, and will present a very creditable appearance on the opening day.

There is great disaffection amongst the British exhibitors respecting the invitations for the opening ceremony. Sir George Verdon applied for 110, but only received 20, similar to the other courts. He would not undertake the invidious task of distributing them, and asked for the assistance of the British exhibitors, who held an indignation meeting yesterday. It was resolved to decline the cards with thanks. Several exhibitors favoured closing the British court on the day of the opening. The Commission are maintaining secrecy in regard to the internal ceremonies.

Visitors are arriving in large numbers. On Saturday morning a special train arrived with a party of Queensland visitors, including the Premier and members of the Ministry. Numerous visitors from Adelaide also arrived by special.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ALBION PARK, SATURDAY.

The weather is overcast, and raining heavily, with every appearance of a continuance. The wind is south-east.

GRAFTON, SATURDAY.

The Lands Office commission have now concluded their inquiries here, which have occupied their time for 14 weeks. The inquiry was extended to the Survey Office as well as the Lands Office.

The hospital Sunday collections on the Lower Clarence, in aid of the M'Lean institution, realised £24 4s. 3d.

The Australian Meat Company's Works at Ramornie finish operations this season next week. A large number of cattle have been purchased. The quality has been very good. The price paid was 13s. per 100lb.

[illegible]DAGAL, SATURDAY.

During the past week the weather has been showery. The grass is growing well, and the outlook for pastoralists and agriculturists is fairly good.

KIAMA, SATURDAY.

A very acceptable change in the weather took place last evening, when there was a nice fall of rain. Shortly after noon to-day it again commenced raining, and for a space of about 20 minutes it came down in torrents. It was the best shower known in this district for five or six months. The weather continues showery.

MENINDIE, SATURDAY.

Ten points of soaking rain fell last night. The clouds are now clearing.

MITTAGONG, SATURDAY.

On Thursday morning a State Board apprentice named Isaac Halsten was thrown from his horse, and received severe internal injuries from the horse rolling over him. He died yesterday morning, and an inquiry was held before Mr. A. D. Badgery, coroner, this morning, when a verdict of accidental death was returned.

MURWILLUMBAH, SATURDAY.

The first District Court ever held here was opened this morning by Judge Murray. Sixteen cases were decided, of which the majority were for debt. Great inconvenience was experienced on account of the lack of accommodation at the courthouse, which was built 12 years ago to meet the requirements of the river at that time. The Judge expressed himself strongly on the matter.

NEWCASTLE, SATURDAY.

The Premier has promised to open the Hamilton School of Arts on August 13 and deliver the inaugural address.

Last night blue lights notifying that the police were wanted were burnt from the ship Nairnshire, lying at No. 1 buoy in the harbour. Sub-Inspector Lynch and a posse of constables went off to the vessel and found that, owing to the captain of the Nairnshire, which was about to proceed to sea, refusing to allow some of the crew to go ashore, they threatened to take a boat and pull themselves across. Fearing disturbances the captain signalled for the police. This had the desired effect, as on boarding the police found all quiet.

A miner named William Lang was nearly crushed to death at the Lambton Colliery yesterday by a mass of coal. It took five men with crowbars to move it from off the man's chest. He lies in a very precarious state.

ORANGE, SATURDAY.

Mr. Richard Kelaher, underground manager at the New Reform Company, Lucknow, died last night from inflammation of the lungs. His wife died of the same complaint, and was only buried on Thursday. Kelaher is supposed to have contracted the disease from joining in the search for the man Moroney, who perished from exposure in the late snowstorm.

WILCANNIA, SATURDAY.

After a few points of rain had fallen last night it ceased, and this morning the clouds had all passed away, and the weather was clear and bright. So far this year has been the driest ever known here. Only two inches of rain have fallen since the commencement of the year.

The collections made at the office of the Crown lands agent for the past half-year amount to £2018 9s. 10d.

CASE OF CHILD MURDER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

WILCANNIA, SATURDAY.

Thomas Harris, who is charged with having smothered his infant child in a bed tick at Kilfera, has been committed for trial for wilful murder.

FRY'S MALTED COCOA.—"An ordinary cup of Fry's Malted Cocoa contains more of the active properties of malt than a pint of the best ale or porter."—Lancet. Of all grocers and chemists.—ADVT.]

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Mr. Charles Warner made his much-anticipated first appearance in Sydney on Saturday night in the character which is regarded as his especial creation. The Coupeau of this able actor is not the Coupeau of Zola's book, any more than "Drink," the adaptation by Charles Reade, is "L'Assommoir" as it was first written. It was necessary to prune and trim a good deal of that remarkable work before it became suited to the English stage. But the characteristics that gave the book its individuality are preserved in the drama, and it is in the delineation of the miseries of the victim of intemperance that Mr. Warner, in the part of Coupeau, so much excels. This is not a pleasant play. The book on which it is founded is one of the most unpleasant things in literature, that even the philosophic plan of Zola's Rougon-Macquart series cannot make decently tolerable. It was his aim as a writer to make his books a series of studies of heredity and variation—of social conditions that necessarily proceed from other conditions that have gone before, deflected by the circumstances of modern low life. Emile Zola's books are intended, he tells us, to breathe the odour of the people—and they do.

The attendance at the Royal was very large to welcome Mr. Warner on Saturday night. It is nearly 10 years since he made the part of Coupeau on the London boards, and it is a character which gives its author bold advertisement to a strange audience. The dress circle was fairly filled, but the rest of the house was crowded, and the first appearance of Mr. Warner in Gervaise's apartment was met by a cordial demonstration of goodwill. "Drink" has been played before in Sydney, but a brief glance at the plot will not be amiss, since the names of the characters are perhaps the only tangible link between that of the drama and of the original. The laundress Gervaise is the wife of Lautier, who has a *liaison* with Virginie, a Parisian modiste. She induces Lautier to leave his wife, who exacts personal satisfaction from Virginie in the very realistic washhouse scene. In the following act Coupeau, a plumber, who has befriended Gervaise, takes a pledge against intemperance at the instance of the temperance advocate Gouget—or Goujet, as Zola has it—and Gervaise makes a similar resolve at the same time. After Lautier disappeared news was received that he was dead, and Gervaise consents to marry Coupeau. At the wedding the latter is induced to break his pledge through the machinations of Virginie, who takes this way of revenging herself on Gervaise. At this juncture Lautier reappears, but as this respectable individual has also married Gouget's cousin, he is persuaded to keep silent under penalty of prosecution for bigamy. From this on the drama develops the fate of Coupeau—his married happiness with his wife and child, his fall from the scaffolding, his relapse into intemperance, and in the sixth act his death under *delirium tremens*. In the last act comes the usual dramatic retribution, with the triumph of virtue in the rescue of Gervaise, and the punishment of vice in the murder of Lautier and Virginie by the latter's injured husband.

In the first act Mr. Warner was somewhat weak and disappointing. There was nothing to arrest attention in his playing of the colourless part of the injured wife's friend, and certainly nothing to suggest the strength and power that were afterwards displayed. But it was with finished art that, from this unpromising beginning, the player unfolded his wonderful capacity. In the street scene in the second act, where Coupeau offers marriage to Gervaise, the soft-hearted good nature of an honest fellow of his class was shown with natural ease, though the suggestion savoured rather of Whitechapel and Seven Dials than of the neighbourhood of the Barrière Poissonnière. But in the scene where Gervaise and her child Nana are seen bringing Coupeau his dinner at his work, the excellent touches of nature are such as bear a family resemblance to each other everywhere, and in these Mr. Warner carried every part of the house with him. However, the rest of the drama is merely an elaborate setting for the fifth and sixth acts, or rather for the sixth alone, to which the other forms a prelude. Here Coupeau falls into the hands of three worthless friends, who in the most natural way in the world persuade him to drink a glass of brandy, the audience looking on meanwhile as at the development of a tragedy. Every stage of Coupeau's progress towards intoxication here is marked by Mr. Warner with that finished art that deludes while it interests. What we have seen of the victim's good nature and his domestic happiness in the preceding scenes form a background against which his present condition stands out in vividly dramatic contrast, and by the time he drinks the eight glasses of brandy for a wager, spends his fortnight's wages, becomes hopelessly drunk, and is found by his wife under these circumstances, the audience has forgotten the actor in his characterisation, and the *rapport*—if the term be allowable in such an association—is artistically complete. The sixth act is simply a scene of realistic and repulsive horror. There is the miserable room, out of which presently the door opens and a quivering attenuated hand is seen tremulously gliding along the panel. That hand touches the keynote of the drama, and speaks as eloquently as the knocking at the gate in Macbeth. The effect is absorbing. Coupeau enters—just from the hospital—a miserable wretch of humanity, with nothing left of the honest-hearted Coupeau as we saw him a few scenes earlier. He is a miserable object, painful to the eye, but remorselessly and horribly true to life. His pallid, quivering fingers—Mr. Warner is a master of that expressiveness of the hands—tell an eloquent tale that needs no verbal comment. He is left alone, and spectral forms and apparitions of delirium visit him. He finds the brandy that Virginie has sent him. He drinks again. And here Mr. Warner rises to the height of his characterisation, and presents a picture of the madness of intoxication, that rises from point to point of culminating horror, relentlessly reproducing every terrible feature of the drunkard's delirium with pitiless fidelity and exactness, and racking the sensibilities of those who look on in horrible fascination, until the miserable wretch falls with a crash to the floor. The audience is not spared one iota of this distressing, unpleasant exhibition, and Mr. Warner rises with the [illegible] until not a doubt is left of the extent of [illegible] he portrays possibilities of his dramatic power. There can be but one opinion of the realistic excellence of Mr. Warner's characterisation in this mercilessly exacting *rôle*.

The rest of the characters are represented in such a way as to give the central figure of the drama the requisite measure of support. As Gervaise, Miss Isabel Morris has only to discontinue a certain querulous note of lamentation in her voice in those few places where it is not called for to be a most pronounced success. The impossibly-malignant Virginie is well given by Miss Watt-Tanner, who can put into the part all that cold and unsympathetic character that it calls for. Mr. Albert Marsh was an appropriate Lautier, and Mr. Herbert Flemming, as Gouget, played his part with his usual care, and spoke his lines with earnestness and distinctness, as he always does. Phœbe Sage as rendered by Miss Emma Chambers made herself a favourite with the gallery—a popularity which she shared with Mr. Alfred Phillips, who made his first appearance as Mes Bottes, one of a trio of worthless creatures who entice Coupeau into evil courses. Captain de Burgh made an amazingly portentous Poisson, and Miss Daisy Chester played pleasantly in the character of Nana, Gervaise's child. The scenery by Mr. John Brunton was most effective in the last act, giving a view of Paris on a winter's night, with the lighted streets and the column in the centre of the square. Other characters in the piece besides those named were carefully rendered by the other members of the company.

CRITERION THEATRE.

There was a change of performance at this theatre on Saturday night, but no change in the mood of the crowded audience who assembled there, for the shouts of laughter which have recently greeted the representations of "Vice Versa" and "Turned Up" were even exceeded by the hearty merriment with which "Modern Wives" was received. This is one of the most amusing plays that have ever been presented here. The plot, which turns on the incompatibility of temper and diverse inclinations of two young married couples, is by no means an original one, but it has exceptional episodes, is treated in such a bright and witty manner, and the fun from the rise of the curtain to the finale is so unflagging that the lack of absolute novelty is a very slight drawback. Although sufficiently farcical in many of its situations to suit the taste for broad humour, which is so pronounced a requirement of theatre-goers nowadays, its incidents have much more cohesion and probability, and the principles of pure comedy are far more observed than in many of those plays which in London have kept the stage uninterruptedly for so many months and even years. Throughout the whole of the three acts the action is very rapid, and the dialogue equally smart.

Caleb Chubb, a retired and [illegible]-less hatter, and his wife, have three daughters, two of whom have married into what is for them very fashionable circles, one to Valentine Honeysett, who is on the Stock Exchange; the other to Noel Golding, who is "something in the city." The third and youngest daughter has just become engaged to Felix Doveton, a newly-fledged and juvenile surgeon. Mrs. Honeysett and her husband, who is jealous of her attractions, have a quarrel on the subject of the lady's fashionable dissipations, which culminates in his throwing out of the window a ball dress that has been the immediate provocative of the dissension. Mrs. Honeysett, regardless of the fact that night after night she has dragged her tired husband about from one entertainment to another, cannot stand so outrageous an offence against her womanly dignity, and goes and takes up her abode with her parents, declaring that she will never live with Honeysett again. The Chubb's have hardly got over the first shock of this proceeding when Mr. and Mrs. Golding make their appearance. They, too, have had a violent quarrel, mainly on account of the husband having had cold veal too frequently for dinner, so he has brought her back to her parents, as he feels that they can never more live happily together. The consternation of the old couple at this state of things may be more easily imagined than described. Honeysett subsequently arrives and endeavours to persuade his wife to return home, but their disagreement is only increased by the interview. The two married sisters mingle their woes, and in spite of the Chubb's attempts to "make it up" with them and their husbands, declare that they will never leave the parental roof again. Their younger sister having two such evil examples of the effects of matrimony before her eyes, at once repudiates her engagement to the young medico, whose astonishment, being in ignorance of the facts which prompted this determination, is supreme. It will be seen that a very pretty state of affairs is presented for the development of future complications; and the author has taken full advantage of it. From this point the merest indication of the plot must suffice, for it would require too much space to detail all the situations which inconvenience and mystify all parties concerned and lead to their eventual happiness. After an interval of three weeks the two young husbands are found congratulating each other on their newly acquired liberty, but in reality they are thoroughly miserable, and their feelings are not improved by the intelligence that their wives are leading a life of continuous gaiety. These ladies not by any means so enchanted with their absence from marital trammels as they desire their spouses to believe, and with the ostensible intention of obtaining possession of Mrs. Honeysett's remaining effects visit Honeysett's house. All are secretly wishing for reconciliation, but husbands and wives, incensed at their seeming indifference to each other renew their recriminations, and threats of judicial separation and divorce cleave the air. Just at the critical point Golding hits upon the plan of making Honeysett and his wife seriously jealous of each other by the employment of substituted and concocted letters as a means of bringing them together again and unwittingly raises the jealousy of his own wife, who overhears him dictating what she believes to be a declaration of love for, and an assignation with, another woman. Everybody, with the intention of finding out the doings of everybody else, meets at the same rendezvous, when the frequent misunderstandings cause great merriment, and at last, of course, everyone is satisfied and made happy.

The leading character of the play is Mrs. Honeysett, taken by Miss Pattie Brown, whose reappearance after an absence of some time in Melbourne, was very warmly greeted. She looked charming and enacted the lady, who has a "temper of her own" and a great determination to have her own sweet way, with a spirited liveliness which left nothing whatever to be desired. Indeed this remark might be applied to almost the whole of the *dramatis personæ*, for it is seldom that a cast is so uniformly well filled. Mr. Brough made the retired hatter—affectionate, illiterate, and impetuous—as amusing as the author intended he should be, but we fail to see the necessity or the propriety of the peculiar wriggle of the body with which Mr. Brough emphasises some of his points. He was most ably supported by Miss Romer as Mrs. Chubb. She has a great idea of gentility, and in order that her youngest daughter may conduct herself according to *les convenances* in her new position furnishes her with "A Guide to Courtship and Marriage," the frequent reference to which, in the part of her daughter Dorothy, most pleasingly played by Miss Temple, afforded much merriment in the first act. Mr. A. R. Lawrence filled the role of Honeysett very appropriately, but Mr. Cecil Ward (who was also heartily applauded in his re-appearance), though fairly up to the mark, was not quite so successful as the other husband, whose part, apparently, he unknowingly overdid. It is hardly correct, either, for a gentleman to straddle about a drawing-room with much of the walk of Tom Jones when not certain of his feet. Mrs. Brough was sufficiently indignant as the repudiated wife. Mr. R. Owen Harris as the boyish doctor was perfection, and the subordinate characters, especially Mr. Willie Warde as a butler, were well suited with their parts. A word of praise must be given to Master Qualey's comical acting as a page. The comedy was as usual exceedingly well staged.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Judging from the present popularity of the "Lights o' London," there should be no change of programme at Her Majesty's Theatre for many a day to come. On Saturday evening there was a very large audience, and the play was presented with irreproachable efficiency. The most prominent actors were, of course, Mr. George Rignold and Miss Watts Phillips, who represented the sad side of the drama with fine effect, while the very opposite side found remarkably satisfactory exponents in Mr. J. R. Greville and Mrs. Geo. Rignold. The drama is full of varied life, and, with its ever-changing scenes, forms an excellent and, at the same time, instructive entertainment. Mr. Rignold's bold leap into the Regent's Park Canal is a sensation which is always looked forward to with great expectancy. The canal is represented by real water, and the beautiful scene which surrounds it is certainly worth seeing. The principal actors were called before the curtain repeatedly and applauded loudly, and there was every evidence of the play having been greatly enjoyed.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Messrs. Hiscocks and Friedman's speciality company, at the Academy of Music, drew another crowded house on Saturday night. The programme was almost entirely altered, and there were one or two changes in the *personnel* of the company. The tambos were represented by Messrs. S. Keenan, J. Gilmore, A. Sullivan, and E. Lyndon. After a spirited overture, which opened the entertainment, Mr. Lawler sang "Peggy O'More," Mr. Porter gave "By the Sad Sea Waves," and Mr. A. Farley "Storming the Breach," each being warmly applauded. In the comic section Mr. Keenan supplied "De Gospel Show," Mr. Sullivan "Oh, Harry," and Mr. Gilmour a comic ditty, all of an exceedingly laughable and amusing character. The "Salon D'Ethiope" concluded with the finale "Old Kentucky Home." In the second part, Mr. Hugh Dempsey and Miss Lily Laurel delighted the audience with entirely new songs, dances, and sketches. The Borani Brothers repeated their variety and contortion acts, introducing many novel features; and Mr. Sullivan and Miss Ethel Silvena also repeated their marvellous entertainment styled "Presto." An excellent and an exceedingly clever performance terminated with a laughable farce "The Tobacconist's Daughter," in which Messrs. Keenan, Porter, Farley, Beaumont Read, and E. Lyndon represented the principal characters. The same programme will be given throughout the week.

THE ALHAMBRA.

This very popular resort of theatre-goers was filled to its utmost capacity on Saturday night. The singing of Miss Florence Schuler, Miss Marie Mackay, and Messrs. Santley and Barrington was received with marked applause, and the songs and dances, sketches, and negro absurdities given by Messrs. Hanson Delowery, Duriah, Field, Craydon, and Holland were very amusing and entertaining. The comic sketch "Lost in the Bush," by Messrs. Duriah, Santley, and Harrison, was thoroughly enjoyed, as also the comic songs "I did it" and "I was near it," by Mr. Harry Hastings, and the Sailor's [illegible] Miss Edith Wilson. There will be a new programme this evening.

DIORAMA OF SCOTLAND.

The diorama of "Bonnie Scotland," which was opened at the Protestant Hall a week ago, has proved one of the most complete things in its way that have been seen in this city, and it has consequently drawn large audiences nightly. On Saturday evening there were a number of changes in the musical programme, notably a new song, "Who's that calling so sweetly?" which was given by Mrs. Crawford with great effect and enthusiastically encored. Miss M'Gregor sang "Courting Time," and Mr. Crawford "Jessie Jawsir," and both were capitally received. A sketch entitled "Home Rule," descriptive of a domestic quarrel, was very amusing. The diorama is the principal attraction, the subjects being artistically painted and made highly interesting by the accompanying explanatory lecture. The diorama will be exhibited during the week, with new songs and instrumental music.

SKATING RINKS.

The chilly and unpleasant weather experienced on Saturday seemed to add zest to the delight of the votaries of the rink. There was no falling off in point of attendance at either of the two rival rinks, the Elite and the Crystal Palace. Throughout the day each of these spacious buildings was thronged, and the health-giving recreation was participated in with unusual vigour. At the Crystal Palace Rink a special feature in the evening was the garden scene. It consisted of a mass of decorations, in which evergreens and shrub foliage intertwined a numerous collection of Chinese lanterns. The lanterns when lighted formed, with the other illuminations, a scene of much brilliancy. The managers of these rinks are now busily engaged in completing their arrangements for the forthcoming rival carnivals.

AQUARIUMS.

All the aquariums suffered on Saturday from the unpropitious weather, the Coogee Aquarium the most. That was the only place where any special effort had been made to attract the public. The performance arranged had to be abandoned in consequence of the paucity of patrons.

The Commercial Travellers held the second of their smoke concerts on Saturday evening last, when a good muster of the bagmen and their friends testified their appreciation of the excellent talent which contributed to a first-class entertainment. An interesting programme was gone through, and a most enjoyable evening was spent under the genial and able chairmanship of the president, Mr. F. Thomas, and through the kindly and indefatigable exertions of the honorary secretary, Mr. E. G. Rosenthal.

Miss von Finkelstein, a native of Jerusalem, who during the last three months has been attracting large audiences in Melbourne and Adelaide, will deliver her opening lecture next Monday in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. The manners and customs of the various races that inhabit the Holy Land and Syria, which are much the same to-day as they were nineteen centuries ago, form the chief subject of Miss von Finklestein's lectures; and one of her chief qualifications is said to be her dramatic talent, which enables her to bring before her audiences the most vivid representations of everyday life in the East. The lady has lectured in the largest halls and churches in England, and the effect of her lectures is considerably heightened by the fact that she dresses in Oriental costume, and is assisted by ladies and gentlemen similarly attired. The subject of the opening lecture is "Homes and Haunts of Jesus."

An entertainment was given on Friday night at the Albert Hall, Granville, in aid of the Bazaar, by the Sydney Amateur Minstrel Company, which gave great satisfaction. The following gentlemen took part:—Messrs. C. C. Matthews, J. Harman, F. Nash, Breakwell, A. Dair, W. Taylor, and R. Thomas. Messrs. S. Clairmont, L. Wyatt, and W. Taylor gave a laughable sketch "The Distressed Circus."

The much talked of polo match between the teams of the City Skating Rink and St. George's Hall (Newtown) Rink takes place this evening at 9 o'clock, prize, a silver cup, being the first game of the kind played in the colony. Mr. Rollinson, the manager of the City Rink, purposes giving some other novelties to his patrons. One of them is in the shape of a tug of war on skates. Mr. Ohmy gives his invisible wire act this evening.

On Friday and Saturday last a sale of plain and fancy needlework was held in the schoolhouse, St. Mark's, Darling Point. There was a large attendance on Friday, but owing to the inclemency of the weather the attendance on the following day was moderate. The building was tastefully decorated with flags, &c., the work of Mr. Watt. There were four stalls, viz., the teachers' and scholars' stalls, the ladies' stall, the refreshment stall, and the art gallery. The different divisions were in the charge of the following ladies:—Mrs. Kemmis, the Misses Kemmis, Miss Cameron, and others. The proceeds of the bazaar will be devoted to the funds of St. Mark's School. It is probable that the sale will be continued next Saturday.

The illustrated lecture in which Mr. Sidney Dickinson, M.A., the American lecturer, makes his first appearance in the colonies, at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, this evening, will treat, in word and picture, the picturesque story of the Moor, in Spain, and describe the famous Palace of the Alhambra. Beside nearly 100 rich illustrations, prepared expressly for this lecture last summer in Paris, and shown by Mr. Dickinson's own powerful oxyhydrogen apparatus, will be shown beautiful models of the Alhambra, large water-colour paintings, examples of Manresque pottery, &c. Selections of Spanish music will be played, and Miss Marion Miller, the American reader, will appear in dramatic recitations. Mr. Dickinson will be introduced by Mr. G. W. Griffin, U. S. A. Consul. Sir Henry Parkes has promised to attend.

Our Melbourne correspondent telegraphs as follows:—"Faust" was produced by the Amy Sherwin Company at the Opera House on Saturday night to a crowded house. Miss von Finklestein gave the first of three farewell lectures in the Town Hall on Saturday evening. At St. George's Hall the Cogill Brothers and Harry Rickards' companies are doing good business. The Princess Theatre was filled on Saturday night, when the Gaiety Company's "Esmeralda," which has been a great attraction during the week, was performed. The Alexandra Theatre Company abandoned burlesque for sensational drama on Saturday evening, producing "The Golden Farmer." F. M. Clark's Company at the Victoria Hall are attracting large audiences. On Saturday night they produced "Life on the Mississippi." The Lynch Family of Bellringers, assisted by Miss Annette Ivanova and Mrs. Palmer, gave a very successful entertainment at the Athenæum on Saturday evening, preceded by a matinee. Both were largely patronised.

NEWTOWN POULTRY, PIGEON, AND CANARY SOCIETY.

The first grand annual exhibition held in connection with the Newtown Poultry, Pigeon, and Canary Society was brought to a close on Saturday evening, after having been open for a period of three days, during which time the show received a fair amount of public patronage. On Saturday the inclement weather interfered somewhat with the attendance of visitors, but those who were present appeared to be greatly interested in the display of exhibits in the different sections, a great number of which were of a very good description. The special prize for the heaviest fowl in the show was gained by F. Gurney with an exhibit in the Brahma Pootra class of section 1., and the special prize for the most brilliantly plumaged canary was carried off by J. Keable, who showed a remarkably fine bird in the Norwich class. Both the abovementioned awards were given by Alderman Harber, of St. Peters. The exhibition, although an unqualified success as far as the number and quality of the exhibits were concerned, has, from a combination of causes, not been financially successful to the society, a fact which is to be regretted, inasmuch as this was the first show held by the society. No doubt after the initial difficulties incidental to the proper establishment of the organisation have been overcome, the monetary aspect of affairs will assume a greater buoyancy, and under systematic management the Newtown Society should take its position among the other kindred associations that exist in and around Sydney. Considerable credit is due to the gentlemen who acted as joint secretaries (Messrs. C. T. Pierce and J. Givens), both of whom were assiduous in their attention to the requirements of those whose business or pleasure induced them to visit the exhibition.

NEWCASTLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, SATURDAY.

The local Chamber of Commerce has received a letter from the secretary of the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce, asking the co-operation of the chamber at the conference of British, Australasian, and other chambers, to be held in Melbourne in October next. The local chamber instructed their secretary to inform the Melbourne Chamber that the committee would be represented, and that the names of the delegates would be forwarded later on. The sub-committee of the chamber have arranged for an interview with the Treasurer (Mr. Burns) next week in regard to more suitable appliances for the Newcastle Pilot service. The expediency of having the dyke and wharfs lighted by electricity will also be brought under the notice of the Minister for works.

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

ALBURY, SATURDAY.

For Melbourne (by express): Sir John Robertson, Hon. James Inglis, Mrs. Inglis, Charles Cowper, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Donkin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Paling, S. Neale, G. F. Todman, G. Sykes, Thos. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moses, Fletcher Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin, Jas. William, C. Woolcott, Mr. and Mrs. E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. M'Coppin, John Williamson, David Souter, A. Peters, W. J. Merriman, M. Chapman, G. Merriman, M.L.A., Miss T. Head, J. A. Thorpe, Thos. Garrett, M.L.A., Mrs. Doyle, and 2 children, C. Vandeveld, Robert B. Grange, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, A. Kimbal, Miss B. Smith, Mrs. Charles Holloway, Miss Bessie Hill, Gilbert Parker, C. Wallis, Mrs. Walter Gorman, Mrs. Edward Price, Miss Mabel Price, Alderman T. Playfair, Miss Playfair, Miss Smyth, Mrs. F. S. Sheppardson, J. S. Forde, William Smyth, William Fleming, H. J. Du Rieu, J. F. Soley, David C. Bell (Sydney), Miss Burrows, Alexander Karley, Warden A. Fitzgerald, M.L.C., A. Dunn, [illegible], Miss Ramsay, James Steel, Mr. and Mrs. A. M'Clelland and children, Hon. C. H. and Mrs. James E. C. Tayler, Mr. and [illegible] W. Walker, G. Lamont, C. Munten, C. A. Anderson, W. [illegible], W. B. Jackson, W. J. Corkill, R. S. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, John Johles, Arthur Lanyon, F. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stynson and 6 children, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butcher, F. S. Boyer, Mrs. Kerr, Miss Ella Kerr, J. Swan, J. Beddgood, Miss Sylvia Gray, Miss Chenery, George Von Kaufumann, A. Austin, Miss Henderson, Hordern, Arthur Hordern, Mr. and Mrs. G. Munro, Miss Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jamieson, Miss Jamieson, Miss Heath, Miss Lillian Ansty, [illegible] De Munster, Miss L. Gayer, Charles Brown (Melbourne), R. Gardiner (Jerilderie), Henry Browne (Silverton), Mr. and Mrs. Lakeman, Miss Lakeman, Master Allen Lakeman (Hay), Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ryland, Miss Bennett (Wellington, N.Z.), Miss Anstey (Queanbeyan), Miss Blanche Tracey (Warrnambool), George Mason (Francisco), R. Ailand, M.L.A., James Campbell, M.L.A. (Queensland), Arthur Watson, Walter Watson (Gerogery), Mrs. Robert Lister (Rooty Hill), Dr. C. C. Vanderleck, J. J. Steele, Major Ginter, Miss Grace Arents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearce (America), C. W. Dowling (Darlington), H. A. Crawford (Beechworth), H. Carlson, H. Devlin (Wagga), Miss Sheppard (Colo Vale), W. Barker (Glen Albyn), W. Wyatt (Albury), J. E. De Bart (Silverton), N. G. Bull (Liverpool), R. T. Shields (Broken Hill), George Ashcroft (New Zealand), A. Gray (The Netherlands), E. Smith (Windsor), A. Cozminski (East Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs. Bramhall (Brookong).

For Melbourne (by ordinary): Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Wood, H. Walkley, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, H. J. Smith (Sydney), Hon. E. Webb, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. John Smith (Bathurst), W. Kiddle (Walbundrie), Mr. and Mrs. Burrows (South Yarra), Mr. and Mrs. Clancy and four children (America), Mrs. Edwards (Albury), Miss Davis (Ballarat), Mrs. Gribble (Sandhurst), A. Kruger (Albury), Mr. and Mrs. Ware, Charles Mann (Melbourne).

For Sydney (by ordinary): T. W. E. David (Sydney).

For Melbourne (by special Queensland train on Sunday, at 3 a.m.): Sir Thos. M'Ilwraith (Premier), Jno. M'Ilwraith, Mrs. John M'Ilwraith, Colonel and Mrs. French, A. Norton, M.L.A., J. Stoddart, J. Murray, M.L.A., Miss White, Miss Shepherd Smith, Hon. H. M. Nelson (Minister for Railways), J. Lissner, M.L.A., Hon. P. Perkins, Captain Kinnaird Rose, J. F. M'Dougall, M.L.C., W. Forrest, M.L.C., Thos. Plunkett, M.L.A., H. W. Radford, Sergeant-Major Jamieson, Hon. J. D. Macansh, J. G. Affleck, Jas. Crombie, M.L.A., Hon. M. Hume Black (Minister for Education), Miss Black, Miss M. Black, J. Watson, M.L.A., W. B. O'Connell, M.L.A., J. F. Thallow, Hon. A. J. Thynne (Minister of Justice), Mrs. Thynne, Mrs. H. M. Nelson, W. A. Robertson (Private Secretary to Premier), George Agnew, M.L.A., A. F. Luya, M.L.A., Hon. Henry Bolton (Queensland), R. H. D. White, M.L.C., J. Norton, M.L.C., W. Clarke (Minister of Justice), Frank Farnell, M.L.A., Miss Farnell, Miss M. Farnell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson (Sydney), A. Moore (Brisbane), Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd (Campbelltown), Lionel Richard Benjamin (N. Z.), M. C. Jacobs, J. Rothwell (Melbourne), Hon. J. Williamson, Hon. R. D. Reid, Joseph Bosisto, M.L.A., John M'Intyre, M.L.A., Francis Murphy, M.L.A. (Queensland), Richard Speight, members of Victorian Reception Committee.

For Sydney (by ordinary on Sunday): Mr. and Mrs. Kearney, Mrs. Yelland, Mr. and Mrs. George Jamieson, G. S. Jenkins, John Kirk, E. J. Woods (Sydney), Wm. M'Rae, J. H. Fawcett, W. J. Corkill, R. Harvey, J. J. Cameron (Melbourne), P. Enforth (Berlin), Mrs. Habgood, Charles N. Fildes (England), Captain G. C. Herbert, S. Orr, G. Myine (India).

TENTERFIELD, SATURDAY.

For Sydney: J. W. Pillar and family (Tenterfield), David Storey, N. Lazarus (Sydney), Mrs. Walker, Miss Caldwell, Miss Clarke, Mrs. J. J. Phillips (Brisbane).

For Brisbane: Hermann Erhard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams (Brisbane), Dr. Morrison (Sydney), James Walker (Ipswich), L. Jaggur (Brisbane).

BUCHU-PAIBA.—Quick, complete cure, all annoying Kidney, Bladder, and Urinary Diseases. At chemists' and druggists'.—[ADVT.]

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

CUSTOMS HOUSE.—Entered Outwards: July 28, Scottish Wizard, barque, 1140 tons, Captain Colville, for Batavia; R.M.S. Mariposa, 1939 tons, Captain Hayward, for San Francisco, via Auckland and Honolulu.

The ship Red Cross was moved on Saturday from Berry's Bay to Allen's Wharf.

The barque Aline, now in Neutral Bay, will probably have completed her stowage of 1000 tons of coal by this morning, in which case she will clear at the Customs to-day, and leave for Probolingo (Java).

The steamer City of Grafton crossed the Clarence River bar at 10.30 a.m. on the 28th instant, and arrived in port at 2.30 p.m. on the 29th instant. Cargo—300 bags maize, 100 bags bark, 27 hides, 40 cases eggs, 5 coops fowls, 1 bundle sheepskins, 194 pairs wildfowl, 30 hhds spirits, 7 cases and 3 baskets fish, 55 pigs, 4 horses, and sundries.

The steamer Cintra left Brisbane at 1 p.m. on the 27th instant, and arrived in port at 5 a.m. on the 29th instant. Experienced moderate south-west winds, with occasional showers, the whole way.

The steamer Burwah left Brisbane at 0.30 p.m. on the 27th, and arrived in port at 7.30 a.m. on the 29th instant. Experienced moderate southerly and south-west winds, with heavy southerly swell and dull weather, to port.

The steamer Queen of the South crossed the Macleay River bar at 10 a.m. on the 28th instant, and arrived in port at 1.30 p.m. on the 29th instant. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather throughout. Cargo: 989 bags maize, 20 bags pumpkins, 1 casks tallow, 50 hides, 2 bundles skins, 2 coops fowls, 7 cases eggs, 60 pigs, 1 horse, and sundries.

The steamer Allowrie left Eden at 8 a.m. on the 28th instant, called in intermediate ports, and arrived in port at 9.45 a.m. on the 29th instant. Experienced westerly winds and smooth sea throughout. Cargo: 180 kegs butter, 1073 cheeses, 18 bags beans, 248 bags bark, 13 bundles skins, 48 baskets fish, 5 bags oysters, and sundries.

The steamer Coraki crossed the Richmond River bar at noon on the 26th instant, and arrived in port at 10 a.m. on the 28th instant. Experienced fresh southerly winds, and heavy S.E. swell with rain the whole passage. Cargo: 1200 sacks sugar, 186 sacks maize, 114 kegs butter, 33 cases eggs, 35 pigs, 35 bags hides, 4 hides, 5 coops poultry, 3 calves, 1 horse, and sundries.

The U. S. S. Company's steamer Hauroto left Newcastle yesterday for Lyttelton.

The steamer Gunga left Suva at 10.35 p.m. on the 18th instant, and anchored for a couple of hours off Norfolk Island. Lord Howe Island was entered at 6 a.m. on the 25th instant, and the Heads were passed at 5.5 p.m. on the 28th instant, and brought up in Watson's Bay, to wait inspection by health officer. Experienced moderate S.E. winds to Norfolk Island, thence to port strong S.W. gales and very heavy head sea. The Gunga has had a most trying time on this occasion, but has run round Noumea, Fiji, and back. On the run down she had a number of horses, composing Wirth's circus, on board, but owing to the very heavy weather and the vessel rolling, two horses were lost; however, the remainder were safely landed. The voyage back has, if anything, been more tempestuous, but the Gunga has further sustained her reputation as a good sea boat.

The steamer Australian crossed the Clarence River bar at 11.30 a.m. on the 28th instant, and arrived in port at 2.55 p.m. on the 29th instant. Experienced fresh S.W. winds and fine weather throughout. Cargo: 903 bags maize, 71 hides, 2 pigs, 7 coops poultry, 30 cases eggs, 1 bag horns, 2 bags bones, 6 hogsheads molasses, 12 bags pumpkins, 850 spokes, 12 bundles sheepskins, 1 cases butter, 7 cases 2 baskets fish, 64 pairs wild fowl, 460 pieces cedar, 154 casks tallow, 378 cases meat, and sundries.

The barque Notero arrived yesterday from Lyttelton, with a full cargo of produce, and anchored below Garden Island. Her captain reports a very heavy trip across, with strong westerly breezes, and for the last 8 days the captain goes on to say that he has had nothing but continuous rain.

The Orient Company's R.M.S. Cuzco, Captain J. H. F. Nixon, left Albany for Adelaide at noon on Saturday. The Cuzco brings English and Continental mails and files to the 30th ultimo. She is due at Adelaide on Wednesday evening.

The steamer Bothwell Castle, hence to Melbourne, passed Green Cape at 3.50 p.m. on Saturday.

The R.M.S. Coptic, from London 16th ultimo, bound to New Zealand ports, arrived at Hobart at 7 o'clock on Friday evening.

The Queensland Government steamer Lucinda arrived in port on Saturday with his Excellency Sir Anthony Musgrave and Lady Musgrave and suite. The Governor upon landing proceeded to Government House, and he will very shortly proceed to Melbourne to be present at the opening of the Exhibition. Captain J. H. South has still the command of the Lucinda, and he reports leaving Brisbane at 10 a.m. on the 26th instant, coming through the South passage and arrived in port at 2 p.m. on the 28th instant. Experienced very strong S.E. winds and weather with a nasty easterly swell the whole way.

The steamer Active, a strange vessel to this port, arrived in Sydney yesterday from Melbourne. The Active is a small screw steamer of 79 tons. She was built at George's River about three years ago by Mr. Stevens for Messrs. C. and E. Millar. After sailing round the colonies she was engaged in Melbourne, and since that she has seen active service in South Australia and Western Australia. Latterly, however, she has changed hands, and she is now the property of Messrs. David Munro and Co. The Active is a smart little craft of 117 tons (gross tonnage), 100ft. long, 18ft. beam, and 9ft. depth hold, and her engines can develop a power equal to that of 24 horses. Captain M'Arthur is in command, and he has had her ever since she was launched.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Menmuir is expected to-day from Hongkong.

The three-masted schooner Sedwell Jane, which anchored in Watson's Bay on Friday, put to sea on Saturday. She is bound to Adelaide, via Wollongong.

The E. and A. Company's steamer Airlie, hence to Hongkong, via ports, left yesterday. She cleared the Heads at 11.40 a.m. She takes a few Chinese passengers and a large general cargo, and eight boxes of sovereigns.

The barque Clifton put into port on Saturday morning when en route from Mercury Bay to Melbourne. Captain Bankier reports that he put in on account of the water in the tank leaking, and consequently leaving all hands without any, and of the voyage he reports that the Clifton took her departure on June 30, and for six days experienced fresh northerly winds, which detained the vessel on the coast the whole time; thence moderate northerly winds prevailed till the 15th instant, when the vessel was about 80 miles E.S.E. of Cape Howe. On the morning of the 16th the wind began to freshen from the N.W., and continued to do so rapidly, the wind veering west. At 10 p.m. a violent gale ensued, and Captain Bankier goes on to say:—"We had to heave the vessel to, and at midnight the gale blew with such violence that we had to take in the lower maintopsail, and spread a spare foretopmast staysail in the weather mizzen rigging. This gale continued for five days with unabated violence, having veered round to the S.W., when it moderated a little, allowing us to set the lower topsails, with foretopmast and mizzen staysails. The glass after this began to fall steadily, and the wind went back to W.N.W., when it began to blow with hurricane force. The vessel was again hove to. During this gale, which lasted four days, several of the sails were blown out of the gaskets, a portion of the starboard bulwarks washed away, and the deck load began to get adrift, which after much difficulty was secured. This last gale hauled round to the southward, causing the ship to drift to within 40 miles of Sydney. On the morning of 21st found that the water tank in the hold had sprung a leak, leaving only about 18in. in the bottom thereof. The captain, being so near Sydney and a southerly gale blowing, deemed it prudent to call in here and fill up after repairing the damage."

The steamer Hubbuck left Adelaide for Melbourne on Saturday in continuation of her voyage from London.

The steamer Murrumbidgee, hence to London via ports, left Adelaide on Saturday a full vessel.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Bhundarra, inward bound from Calcutta, arrived at Adelaide yesterday.

The P. and O. Company's R.M.S. Valetta, hence to London, arrived at Plymouth on the evening of the 27th instant.

The R.M.S. Oceana, one of the P. and O. Company's Jubilee boats, left Suez on the evening of Friday last. She brings mails, passengers, and cargo.

The Hunter River New Steam Navigation Company's steamer Maitland has just been docked in the Atlas Engineering Company's pontoon dock. When high and dry the Maitland received her usual overhaul, and she will immediately take up her running in the Hunter River trade.

THE S.S. TETARTOS.

The German steamer Tetartos arrived yesterday from Foochow with a full cargo of tea. She has about 2500 tons in all, nearly half of which is for this port and the other for Melbourne. The Tetartos is a stranger to this port, so a few lines will not now be out of place. She is an iron screw steamer of 1578 tons register and 2400 tons gross tonnage. She is comparatively a new vessel, having been built in 1883 at Flensburg, and is owned by the Flensburg S.S. Company. The Tetartos is a steamer that has been built to carry a large cargo. She has little or no passenger accommodation either [illegible] aft the ship. Under a bridge amidships the officers are quartered, [illegible] galley and other offices are to be found there. Right aft is the saloon—a very modest but snug little apartment—off of which is the captain's own private cabin. The Tetartos is straight-stemmed, schooner rigged, and can, if needs be, spread a very fair amount of canvas. She is 294ft. long, [illegible] beam, and 26ft. depth of hold. She has four hatches, with steam winches at each; derricks are also rigged fore and aft the masts, which materially facilitate the discharge and taking in of cargo. She has a cellular bottom, where she has tanks to take in water ballast, which have a capacity for about 466 tons, so that when not loaded she can easily be moved without running any risk. As regards bulkheads she is well found, for she has no less than five of them, which are of iron, and are of extra strength. The Tetartos is engined with a very useful pair of compound engines of 300 horse-power, and 1500 h.p. nominal; the cylinders are 38in. and 70in. diameter, also from the Flensburg S.S. Company. A speed of 12 knots has often been got out of the vessel, but upon a moderate consumption of coal a uniform speed of 10½ to 11 knots can easily and comfortably be maintained. The Tetartos is now berthed at the Grafton Wharf, where she will put out the Sydney portion of her cargo. The run from Foochow has not come up to expectations, but the somewhat lengthy passage can be accounted for by the very bad coals which had to supply the furnaces; besides which, on runs along the Australian coast a continuation of head winds were encountered; however, the trip may be considered a fairly good one. Of the trip Captain Petersen, who is in command (and a stranger to this port), reports that the Tetartos left Foochow on the 6th instant, and has had a very wet passage the whole way, the vessel continually putting her bow under. No damage, however, was done, and beyond slight indications of well-washed paint, everything on board is in good order. The passage generally has been a very hard one. Exceptionally heavy seas have been experienced.

CASUALTIES.

A married woman, named Bridget Betton, 36 years of age, residing at 25, Wexford-street, was taken to the Sydney Hospital yesterday by Constable Cook (No. 2 station), and upon examination by Dr. Fisher she was found to be suffering from a severe contused wound on the forehead, extending to the bone. It would appear that the woman and an Italian named Garcomo Ferrari, who lives at the same address, were quarrelling, when the latter in a fit of frenzy seized a tomahawk and struck the unfortunate woman a violent blow on the head, inflicting the injuries above mentioned. The man Garcomo Ferrari immediately after the occurrence was placed under arrest, and he will be brought up at the Central Police Court this morning.

About 8 o'clock on Saturday night a slight fire occurred at Messrs. Priddy and Co.'s hat shop, 662, George-street South. On receiving the alarm the Metropolitan Fire Brigade promptly proceeded to the spot, when it was found that a number of empty hat-boxes in a back room on the first floor were on fire. The conflagration was extinguished by means of a hand pump. The premises are owned by Mr. Percy Hordern, and the contents are insured in the office of the New Zealand Fire Insurance Company. The origin of the outbreak is unknown.

On Wednesday last a man named William Stanley, employed as an engine driver at the Prospect Waterworks, met with a severe accident. He was engaged at the engine when one of the steam pipes burst, scalding him about the body. He was treated locally till Saturday, when, showing no improvement, he was removed to the Parramatta District Hospital.

DUTCH COCOAS AND THEIR ADULTERATIONS.—The public need to be warned against the so-called pure Dutch cocoas and their English imitations, which contain about 4 per cent. of added alkali, &c., which gives a false appearance of strength to the cocoa. Cadbury's Cocoa is absolutely pure (guaranteed).—[ADVT.]

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DISEASES OF THE HEART.

By Dr. Andrew Ross, Molong.

The frequent and seemingly increasing occurrences of this alleged complaint throughout the colony, ending too often very suddenly, and without any previous symptom or distinct warning, must of late have attracted particular notice even by the most casual observer. Day after day, and week after week, the press chronicles the history of some such melancholy case, and apparently confined to no particular class of the community, as high and low, rich and poor, seem alike liable to be momentarily stricken down, or fall a victim to one of the most impatient and relentless of all disorders, truly verifying the Scripture passage, which says, "In the midst of life we are in death." With your generous permission, by way of granting the necessary space and indulgence in your columns, such a question, I think, well deserves greater consideration, if not a more minute and painstaking degree of research, in place of contentedly sitting down and slumbering under what seems to be an ambiguous and vague verdict too frequently recorded in such painfully alarming cases—viz., "died of disease of the heart." Such a random-like statement, assumption, or verdict is about as explanatory and satisfactory a term to account for the fell blow (or sudden death) as to say "the colony is flooded," without stopping to particularise the exact locality that is suffering from the particular inundation. The colony, like the heart, is composed of many physical or natural variations, while the physiological mechanism of the latter is both complex and wonderful. The common, yet euphonious term, however, called "disease of the heart" really explains nothing. The very phraseology assumes or implies that the whole structure, valves, the circulation and function of this organ is absolutely involved in morbid action, whereas the more immediate fatal cause may possibly have arisen, or be attributable to some minute or particular part of its intricate and collective structure so essential to life. The absurdity of the too common parrot-like expression called "disease of the heart" would be better demonstrated were I to say that "the city of Sydney was on fire." This would imply that all Sydney was on fire or in a state of conflagration, whereas it is simply intended to convey the idea that only a few houses in some particular locality are on fire. So also with regard to the general and oft-repeated expression, viz., "disease of the heart," which leads to a similar inference that the whole heart is literally in a diseased morbid state, whereas it may only be intended to allude to some particular part or disordered function, either directly confined to the valves, the circulation, the muscular or nervous structure, or else to some other remote agent acting indirectly on the organ through the lungs, brain, or perhaps the stomach or kidneys. In many, if not the majority of cases, I firmly believe the heart is not diseased at all, and, if it be so, not, at least, to that degree to account for many of the sudden deaths supposed to arise from this cause. The blood and nervous system, I feel sure, are much oftener at fault in these cases than the heart, and why the blame should always be so peremptorily thrown on to this organ is more than I can readily divine. There surely must be some limit to these cases, particularly in such a complex organ as the heart, composed as it is of no less than four distinct compartments, viz., two auricles and two ventricles, a venous and arterial circulation. 'Tis folly, then, under such a palpable physiological mechanism that these separate and distinct functions can all possibly be in one diseased condition as the phrase, viz., "disease of the heart," implies. Nay, more, if the disease be one found so general after death, then, as a matter of course, we must have symptoms characteristic of its existence plainly established in the living to account for many of these cases when they do occur so frequently and so suddenly, and thus be prepared to meet them by some kind of previous premonitory warning. If the blood or nervous system become in any way impoverished or weakened, and the heart in consequence fails to perform its functions, it is improper then to attribute such derangements to disease of the heart, when the affection, in reality, originates rather from quite a different set of causes. The heart is not a voluntary organ that can be opened and shut at will. Its whole pulsation depends entirely on the degree of nerve force, or else the stimulating qualities of the blood coming into contact with it. Should either of these channels of supply become interrupted or deranged, it naturally follows that the organ then indirectly must suffer and participate in the abnormal change. And should either of these causes be radically at fault, or terminate in sudden death, then it seems monstrous to saddle the heart with the primary cause, while it is only affected indirectly or secondarily. The circulation of the blood, in fact, is to the heart and life what steam is to the steam engine and its motion. Let it be defective or disturbed in this respect, and while the one will stop, the other naturally also suddenly ceases to beat or live; but neither the cylinder nor heart may be in the least degree defective or deranged, only the want of the exact supply of steam and necessary quantity and quality of blood to perpetuate the regular function of healthy action and motion. In the one case the defect may exist in the venous or arterial system, or perhaps both; but through such a meaningless expression, both of these causes seemingly are obviously, if not entirely ignored. It is quite necessary, I think, to be explicit, and as minute as possible in these matters, otherwise we are content to remain mere copyists, to receive all medical dogmas as they were taught us, in place of striving to advance them forward in some of their most obscure and hidden recesses. The magnitude of the ocean is probably to the earth what the circulation of blood through the heart is to life, each regularly undergoing its double process of circulation. The sun distils and causes the water to ascend into vapour, which again descends in the shape of rain to nourish and stimulate vegetation, or what figuratively may be styled water becoming arterialised. Its circulation is as necessary as the venous and arterial motion of the blood is to health and life. In drought, or times of rainy seasons, no one can tell whether such eccentricities are causes pertaining to the heavens or the earth. So, in many instances, so-called cases of disease of the heart, it may either be one of venous or arterial disturbance, and not actually organic affection in the true sense at all. To trace the argument still further, it may with truth be said that the very soul of man exists in a double action as much as we have seen of the heart, ocean, or the rain. Thoughts are either worldly or heavenly, and must circulate in a similar like way (doubtless different to conceive) ere they are rendered healthy or unhealthy, just, regular, or true. A rash thought may oft prove as rapidly injurious to the one as a diseased state of heart is fatal to the other. There can be but very little difference, were we as familiar with the nature of the action of the mind and the circulation of thoughts as we are with the function of the heart and the circulation of the blood, or the ascent and descent of rain.

The time, doubtless, will yet arrive when the services of the analytical chemist will be more frequently required as a *sine qua non* in these abstruse and perplexing cases, in place of continuing to look for, and be assigning every such death to, some outward abnormal disorganisation, or what simply may be floating on the surface and visible to the mere naked eye, whereas possibly the radical defect may in reality emanate from quite a different, though no less potent and subtle, set of causes. For instance, take the chemical composition of the blood arising through improper food, lacking the necessary quantity of healthy nutriment or proper blood-making materials so essential to ensure a normal and regular action of the heart. 'Tis surely folly to deny that the elementary constituents of the blood can possibly be the same in every case and in every subject. Syncope may be taken as an illustration of this kind of defect. It is classified as a nervous disorder, but I firmly believe that the blood is the primary cause.

Let us endeavour to follow up this rapidly-increasing malady in a few of its most peculiar phases. In the first place, then, it seems to be becoming a safe, popular, and ready kind of loophole to explain away the action of certain obscure diseases (perhaps poisons) which we are either too dilatory to inquire into, or else unable to rationally account for them in any other way, or by any less misleading ambiguous nomenclature. In fact, unless deeper attention is devoted to such unfortunate cases, in place of contentedly registering them all under the same rude category, then I fear it but rather helps to expand the shield to cloak the tricks of the incipient and insidious murderer, and enables him more readily and successfully to carry on a nefarious art of secret chronic poisoning. Assuredly if the medical profession is not aroused to a more definite and circumscribed method of handling such scientific yet suddenly-fatal disorders, the cunning murderer will readily enough come to find ample scope and shelter under its weakness, medical supervision, in carrying his iniquitous calling into more undiscovered and unsuspected success. While such diseases may very possibly be on the increase, I say it fearlessly, it behoves every honest practitioner called in to examine such cases to be ever on the strict guard, and not to be too rashly led to jump at conclusions without first making a thorough and minute post-mortem inspection of the body. In his hands an innocent life may be permitted to be sacrificed, while a hardened criminal, on the other hand may be allowed to escape through an indifferent regard to important minutiæ, or perhaps taking reports and circumstances as too much upon trust and credulity.

In the scattered and unprotected habitations in the wild bush of Australia, how easy for the expert and cunning murderer to carry out his deliberate and diabolical designs, and afterwards cloak his cold-blooded acts under the too commonly accepted terms, viz., "dropped dead, or died of disease of the heart." Such alarming intelligence may readily enough act in temporarily arresting the feelings, and be received as quite satisfactory to many; but I trust it will only be the greatest incentive to my medical brethren to be ever on the alert in carefully studying and fathoming the history of every such case which comes under their notice. By so doing, their increased vigilance may then be the means of saving, perhaps, many an innocent life by showing a consternated public and a cool calculating murderer, and thus they are resolved to sift all such mysteries to their utmost origin, and thus in its strict sense become the true guardians of public health and valuable life. Better far to openly acknowledge an inability to detect—where the case is obscure—any corresponding or well-developed internal signs to account for these cases, and leave the matter an open question, than be rashly led to jump at conclusions, probably on some delusive symptom, false inference, or other insufficient ground. The open verdict, moreover, should any guilt be involved in the case, would act as a sort of deterrent to the carrying out of any criminal intent, as all such cases rest chiefly, if not entirely, on the medical testimony, therefore the necessity, in offering a positive opinion, of exercising care on well-grounded satisfactory conclusions. It would be impossible within the limits of a single letter to do more than merely take a hurried glance at a few of the predominant features characteristic of sudden death from natural causes as distinguished from cases of acute or chronic poisoning, for the various diseases of the heart are too numerous and complex to be enumerated here. The only rapidly acting poisons which may be confounded with disease, and with which we are at present acquainted, are prussic acid, cyanide of potassium, oxalic acid, and nicotine, &c. Sunstroke, apoplexy, snakebite, and lightning may also be added. While in practice in the city of London two very remarkable cases of sudden death from poison came under my observation. The one was from taking a large dose of oxalic acid, which proved fatal in 10 minutes; the other from prussic acid, which resulted almost in instantaneous death. In the former case the victim procured the poison at the medical hall at which I was then an assistant, on the faith that the article was required for bookbinding purposes. From the time therefore the article was first obtained until death occurred not more than 10 minutes could possibly have elapsed. This was particularly remarked by myself and another assistant at the time the poison was procured.

Had either of these cases occurred in the bush of Australia, the probability is that, without either much trouble or ceremony, they would readily enough have been set down to the credit of disease of the heart, or perhaps intemperance. It is disgraceful the amount of ignorance manifested by some men appointed to the office of magistrate in the inland towns of the interior, and the clumsy way in which they entertain such critical scientific cases, viz., "sudden deaths." They are content to take almost any kind of jumbled-up narrative, not wilfully I fully admit, but because they are thoroughly unable to conduct the management of these intricate and delicate matters. In sweating, duffing, branding of sheep, and cattle-stealing cases, local magistrates (for they are nearly all squatters, or squatters' sons) are, I fully admit, deeply enough learned; but here they have undergone the necessary curriculum of training to enable them to know how and where to apply their ingenuity to obtain a committal, but seldom a conviction. Thus ignorance almost secures unlimited latitude to any murderer who may choose to carry on a wholesale system of poisoning, while the public mind is seemingly ever ready enough to swallow as true the cause of sudden deaths as proceeding wholly and solely from "disease of the heart." Not that I, by these remarks, seek to deny the existence of such cases, or even of such a disease; but I am reluctantly forced to believe that the evil is one not quite so rampant as many of these nugatory inquiries and superficial disclosures lead us to infer. Decisions would be better in such cases to be more definite, then the public could not ape the profession by calling everything suddenly fatal, viz., "disease of the heart."

I have had cases of functional derangement of the heart under my care which I was thoroughly convinced originated from the too free use of strong tea, but especially tobacco, young as well as old, and which soon got well after discontinuing the weed. A sudden death under such circumstances, without knowing the history of the case, would in all probability have been attributed to disease of the heart in place of the tobacco. I mention this fact to show how the empyreumatic oil, which collects on many old pipes, might be clandestinely used for such a purpose, and yet be mistaken for disease of the heart. When tobacco, then, as I am convinced it does, creates temporary affections of the heart, how very easy to cloak a case of murder by slightly increasing the dose of this very potent agent, and perhaps not the slightest vestige of disease may ever after be discovered. There are hundreds of people as fully conversant with the subtle nature of many common and energetic poisons, as there are abundance of others equally well versed in hocussing, or the art of doctoring grog.

I say, then, the more frequently such cases happen, the more they tend to arouse (whether well or ill founded I don't attempt to say) a latent suspicion of something more common than "disease of the heart," unless it can be substantially proved that climate, habit, occupation, or food or drink of the people has anything to do in accelerating such too painfully common cases, occurring, too, not only during the extreme heat of summer, but even in the midst of the cool months of winter. The question may be asked, How are these deadly enemies to be obtained? Easily enough, for they are distributed in New South Wales without let or hindrance. Only look at strychnine, a poison as common in the bush among the shepherding class as even tobacco itself. Also the many deaths from the sale of "rough on rats," &c., as many valuable lives lost as rats are killed. But it is becoming fashionable more and more every day to refer all sudden deaths seemingly to this popular cloak and archangel, called "disease of the heart." Look the matter sternly in the face, and I ask is it not sufficient to arouse some attention in the public mind, especially that of the medical jurist?

Thousands of people of late years, young and old, use tobacco for no other reason, I believe, than merely by way of acting the kind of fashionable swell, from idle pastime, or to act the rôle of the ill-bred, uncouth, semi-savage larrikin. Our steamboats, our trams and railway carriages, our sporting and recreation grounds, our public places, and workshops literally stink with the smell of tobacco, careless of what effect it may have on the opposite or more tender sex. The wonder to me is, that the abominable habit and vice has not ere this found its way into our churches, our libraries, and reading rooms—the ballroom, &c., so regardless is man of any other person's comforts, only apparently his own selfishness. Is it not contrary to the laws of nature and health to be continually eat-eating, and is the same evil habit of constant smoking as thousands do—the pipe seldom or ever out of their mouth—not equally as injurious to health and prejudicial to social happiness and comfort. No wonder young people do not marry nowadays, when the pipe, I believe, is the oasis that has to be bridged between vice and happiness in the 19th century—selfishness! At the rate at which the habit of smoking is increasing of late years, the time is not far distant, I imagine, when smoking lounges in the various centres of population will have to be erected on the water-fountain principle.

Arsenic, in the form of arsenious acid, has been known to prove fatal in 20 minutes, and opium in little more than three hours. Of course, from average results it is known that poisons generally prove fatal within a definite period of time. By this fixed rule it enables us, therefore, to a certain extent to negative the supposition of poison as distinguished from a real case of disease of the heart. Sudden death seldom occurs from any other poison, unless it is under the influence of undiscovered chronic poisoning. Then the unguarded may be liable to mistake such for heart affection; but which, unless a searching chemical analysis be afterwards made of contents of stomach and viscera, the verdict then will stand tantamount to nil, if not corroborated by clear unequivocal proof of the existence of sufficient organic disease. Is it possible for a sudden death to take place without first exhibiting some previous symptom of heart affection or constitutional derangement? I am free to confess that I think it is the exception rather than the rule. But here, seemingly, it has become the reverse, for the majority of such cases that we read of evidently occur without any premonitory warning whatever, and therefore establish a supposition, whether weak or strong, of something more at work than disease to account for the occurrence af such a large percentage of unrevealed cases in the living. If the heart really be so frequently diseased as these verdicts lead us to infer, then why cannot the physician as readily point them out in the living, and thus morbid anatomy would not have to prove more than her fair share of information by completely shutting out etiology, or symptoms collected from the living? By so doing it would at least be the means of lessening a supposition of foul play.

I will briefly point out another very anomalus defect arising through this kind of practice, where morbid anatomy is called on to prove more than what really transpires from etiology, and that is in regard to the making of wills. How frequently do we not find attempts made in our law courts to upset the validity of a testator's will, purely on this kind of reasoning, or what may be termed "moribund insanity!" An immense amount of money is often swamped in law suits, and unpleasant disclosures made in such cases, which might very easily be avoided if the law permitted a testator to append to his will a certificate of his sanity, signed by at least two or three legally-qualified practitioners. The expense of such a procedure would be but trifling, compared with the heavy outlay often incurred through subsequent legal proceedings—say nothing of failures. This would at once avert such unseemly and disagreeable squabblings when a beneficent testator is removed from the scene of action, and now unable to speak, or give greater effect to the intent of his faithful covenant than what is embodied in the testamentary document which he leaves behind.

When organic disease is absent or but faintly developed, then, I think, in all cases of sudden death, nothing short but the result of chemical analysis should be received as conclusive evidence. These sudden deaths suggests grave reflections on the insecurity of human life, especially in the bush, under the present system adopted in registering the cause of death. In a large majority of these registrations no certificate of death is ever obtained and as seldom ever demanded, consequently life is left almost quite unprotected, and the Registration Act becomes not only a perfect farce, but a useless waste of public money. Take for instance the death of any child which may die suddenly from convulsions, apoplexy, perhaps teething, or some other natural cause. Deaths from such causes may be afterwards registered without any trouble or even a certificate, and while all this may be regularly enough done, the sad disaster all the time might very probably have resulted from secret poisoning. Here is an example of these loose meaningless verdicts culled from a late edition of a country newspaper:—"That the immediate cause of death was the stoppage of the heart's action consequent on nervous exhaustion, the result of habitual intemperance." What mortal on earth can understand such a rigmarole finding, or is it apparent whether it was the stoppage, the exhaustion, or the intemperance that produced death, for surely it did not take three when one cause was enough. In plain English, it was the latter, or the blood poison—for does not the stoppage of the heart's action occur in every kind of death? If the grog was not the cause, then probably the action might not have been disturbed. A man fells a tree with an axe, but let the axe alone, and the tree still remains. It was not the axe, then, but in reality the man that fell the tree. It was not the heart that ceased to beat, but the grog probably that prevented it, therefore the grog wholly and solely was responsible for the death. 'Tis a pity a spade is not called a spade, and everything else by its proper name.

Rough on Rats.—Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, ants, bed bugs, beetles, insects, skunks, jack-rabbits, sparrows, gophers. At chemists' and druggists'.—[Advt.]

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

At the Sydney Stock Exchange on Saturday, Centrals were better, selling at 29s., as compared with 28s. on the previous day, and closed 29s. buyer, 29s. 6d. seller, while the new issue advanced slightly, selling at 23s. 6d. and closing 23s. 6d. buyer, 24s. 6d. seller. Sunny Corners advanced to 53s. and closed 53s. buyer, 53s. 6d. seller. Terrible Dicks were slightly easier, selling at 3s. 10d., and closing at 3s. 11d. buyer, 4s. seller. The following business was transacted:—Burwood Coal, cum dividend, 31s.; Great Cobar Copper, 7s. 6d.; Broken Hill Blocks, 4s.; New North, 40s., 39s. 6d.; South, £5 13s. 6d; South Extended, 11s. 6d., 12s.; Central, 29s.; new issue, 23s. 6d.; Eveleen, 7s.; Tom Lewis Pond, paid up, 11s.; Mount Costigan, 14s. 3d.; contributing, 9s., 9s. 3d.; Pinnacle Tribute, 12s. 6d.; Silver Prince, 1s.; Sunny Corner, 52s., 52s. 6d., 53s.; Sydney Rockwell, paid up, 2s. 6d.; Terrible Dick, 3s. 10d.; Victoria Cross, 10s.; Gold Hill gold, 2s. 8d., 2s. 6d.; Mount Morgan, 15s. 6d.; Taranganba, 11s. 3d.; Conrans, 18s.

Subjoined are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Bulli ...	—	6	Round Hill ...	65/	—
Burwood ...	—	31/	Victoria Cross..	10/	11/
Stockton ...	54/	55/	Central Block...	9	2/
Vale of Clwydd,	18/	18/9	Eveleen ...	7/	7/3
Wallsend ...	48	50	Sunny Corner	53/	53/6
Waratah ...	14	15	Terrible Dick, 19s 6d p.	3/11	4/
Wickham and Bullock Island..	25/3	26/	Ditto, 12s 6d pd.	—	3/6
Ditto, pref., 5s p	8/	—	Mount Morgan	15¼	—
Katoomba ...	13/	14/	New B.H. North	39/	41/
Ditto, pref., 2s p	2/1	2/6	Brit. B.H., p.up.	60/	65/
West Wallsend	—	27/	White Leads ...	10/	11/
Ditto, 19s paid	—	26/	One Tree Cordillera, p.up.	—	2/
Hetton ...	—	9¼	Band and Albion	79/	—
Great Northern	7/	9/	Maritoto, pd. up	4/9	6/
Newcastle ...	16½	18	N. Lewis Ponds	20/	24/
G. Cobar Copper	7/3	7/6	Ditto, contrib...	20/	—
Nymagee ...	15/3	16/	Victory ...	13/	—
Broken Hill Pro.	260	266	Taranganba ...	—	11/3
Block 14 ...	73/	76/	Eureka ...	27/6	—
Ditto 10 Block	—	50/	Imperial B. H.	—	8/
B. H. Junction	40/3	41/	Star of the East	91/	94/
B. H. South ...	5¼	5½	Tom's Lewis Ponds, paid up	10/9	—
South Extended	11/9	12/	Ditto, con. ...	3/6	4/6
Central B. Hill	29/	29/6	Back Creek ...	—	6/
Ditto, 15s paid	23/6	24/6	S'th. Lewis Pond	—	10/
Cosgrove ...	6/6	8/6	Ditto, contrib...	—	4/
Mount Costigan	14/3	15/	Hero, freehold..	—	7/
Ditto, new issue	9/3	—	Ditto, contrib...	5/	5/3
Rising Sun ...	7/	8/	Flora Bell ...	—	5/6
Ditto South ...	—	2/	Conrans ...	17/9	18/
C'tigan Cordillera	—	3/	Vanderbilt ...	8/	9/
P. Trib. ...	12/	13/			
Ditto, contrib.	—	6/			

At the Australasian Mining Exchange the following sales were recorded:—Gold: Reform Pups, 1s. 6d.; Conran, 18s. 6d. Silver: Eveleen, 7s. 3d.; Block 14, 76s.; Centrals, 28s.; Centrals, contributing, 23s. 3d.; Central Blocks, 1s.; Souths, £5 14s., £5 13s. 6d.; North Junctions, 2s. 3d.; Terrible Dicks, 3s. 9d., 3s. 8d., 3s. 9d., 3s. 7d., 3s. 7d., 3s. 7d., 3s. 7d., 3s. 8d., 3s. 9d. The following quotations were recorded:—Silver: Sunny Corner, seller 53s., buyer 52s. 6d.; Eveleen, seller 7s. 3d., buyer 7s.; South Pinnacle, seller 2s. 6d.; Broken Hill Proprietary, seller £275, buyer £260; Block 14, seller 77s., buyer 75s. 6d.; British, seller 68s., buyer 60s.; Centrals, seller 29s., buyer 27s. 9d.; ditto contributing, seller 24s., buyer 23s. 6d.; Central Blocks, seller 1s. 6d., seller 1s.; South, seller £5 13s. 6d., buyer £5 13s.; South Extended, seller 12s., buyer 11s. 9d.; New Norths, seller 40s. 6d, buyer 38s. 6d.; Junction, seller 40s. 6d., buyer 40s.; Junction North, seller 2s. 6d., buyer 2s. 3d.; Junction North, contributing, seller 2s. 6d., buyer 1s. 10d.; Rising Sun, seller 9s., buyer 7s.; Victoria Cross, seller 13s.; Webb's, seller 12s.; Webb's, contributing, seller 4s. 6d., buyer 3s.; Terrible Dick, seller 3s. 9d., buyer 3s. 7d.; Toms, paid up, seller 11s. 6d., buyer 10s. 9d.; Toms, contributing, seller 3s. 9d., buyer 3s. 6d.; Spicer's, paid up, seller 10s., buyer 8s., Spicer's, contributing, seller 6s, buyer 5s. 6d.; One Tree Cordillera, paid up, seller 2s. 6d., buyer 1s. 9d.; Mount Costigan, seller 15s., buyer 13s.; Mount Costigan, contributing, seller 10s., buyer 9s. 6d.; Costigan South, contributing, seller 1s. 3d., buyer 9d.; Central Cordillera, seller 6s., buyer 2s. 6d.; Sydney Rockwell, paid up, seller 5s.; Back Creek, contributing, seller 1s. 6d., buyer 1s. 2d.; Pye's Creek, paid up, seller 8s.; Lucky Hit, contributing, seller 1s. 6d.; Hero Freehold, contributing, seller 6s., buyer 5s. Coal: Stockton, seller 56s. 6d. Gold: Ophir, seller £8, buyer £7 8s.; Homeward Bound, Oberon, seller 9s.; ditto, contributing, seller 3s. 9d.; Conran, seller 18s. 6d., buyer 18s.

The report of the directors of the Oban Tin and Gem-mining Company, No Liability, which was submitted to the first meeting of shareholders, held on Tuesday last (Mr. G. Pile in the chair), showed:—That the various mineral leases and applications for mineral leases, also water rights, &c., had been secured and made over to the company. The property consisted of 850 acres, with water rights to the extent of about 10 miles. The mine was being developed as circumstances warrant—prospecting has been done in various places, and tin, gold, tourmaline, quartz crystals, and gems, say sapphires, garnets, amethysts, and topaz stones abounded throughout the property. A very substantial dam had been constructed, estimated to hold at least 10,000,000 gallons of water. Three of the directors,—viz., Messrs. Dowel, Pile, and Spier, had separately inspected the mine, had prospects taken in various parts of it, and are all pleased with the results. The manager, Mr. Rigg, paid a visit to the mine on 2nd July, and witnessed a washing-up at Carrington Point from about four loads. On the motion of the chairman, the report and balance-sheet were unanimously adopted. Captain Eldred's appointment to the seat at the board, rendered vacant by the retirement of J. Hourigan, Esq., was confirmed.

[By Telegraph.]

(From our Correspondent.)

VISIT OF THE PROSPECTING BOARD TO ALBURY.

ALBURY, Sunday.

Mr. Harrie Wood, Under Secretary for the Mining Department, and Mr. T. W. David, representing the prospecting board, reached Albury yesterday, for the purpose of reporting on the application for shares of the prospecting vote. The visitors were met on arrival by a deputation from the municipal council, and subsequently drove to inspect the principal claims at Black Range, accompanied by Mr. T. A. Browne, goldfield warden, Aldermen Chenery, Jones, Kelly, and several local residents interested in mining. The first claim visited was that of Roberts and Co., at One Tree Hill. This party have a lease of eight acres. The reef was worked some years ago with considerable success, gold to the value of £9000 having been obtained. The claim, however, had to be abandoned on the water level being reached. The claimholders stated that leaders were coming in both sides of the shaft, and dipping towards each other in such a way as to give reason for believing that they would at a greater depth unite in one large reef. The cost of sinking the shaft was estimated at £2 15s. per foot. Travelling westward the board next visited the claim of Walker and Co., on the same line. This party have sunk a shaft 25ft., at which depth the reef is 1ft. wide. The extent of the lease is 10 acres. Further west the board came on the 5-acre lease of Meredith and Co., May Day line. This is the claim from which rich specimens were obtained a few weeks ago. The shaft is now down 42ft., but without any well-defined reef. A recent crushing from the claim yielded over 3oz. per ton, and the reef when lost was 15in. wide. The party are confident of soon regaining a solid lode, as the shaft still carries one well defined wall, and irregular blocks of quartz are still met with. The visitors next examined the claim of Pye and Wealands, which, so far, has proved the most permanent reef on the goldfield. The party have an eight-acre lease, and have a well-timbered shaft 9ft. by 4ft. sunk to a depth of nearly 130ft., the reef varying from 9in. to 2ft. in width. The estimated cost of sinking is £5 per foot. Good results have been obtained throughout in connection with the making of this claim, the various crushings having yielded as follows:—21 tons gave 75oz., 12 tons gave 55oz., and 13 tons gave 95oz. About one ton of quartz is obtained for every foot sunk. The party have 10 tons at grass, which promises to turn out even better than last crushing. Mr. David descended to the bottom of this shaft and carefully examined the formation of the lode, and broke off some quartz from the face showing gold freely, this reef starting nearly from the summit of the hill. No water has yet been encountered, nor is any anticipated for another 100ft. The last claim inspected was the old Ethiopian reef, from which extraordinary large returns were formerly obtained. The later prospectors on the same line have also struck very rich patches. The party are now engaged in extending the tunnel, and have cut the old reef below the level at which the lode ran out. The tunnel is already in 250ft. This concluded the inspection, and the board returned to Albury, where they were waited on by prospectors who desired assistance from the Government to develop the Nail Can Goldfield. Mr. Wood told them that the application must be made in the first instance to the Minister. The visitors were subsequently entertained at luncheon by the municipal council. Alderman Griffith occupied the chair, and Alderman Schmiedt the vice-chair. Among the others present were most of the municipal council and a number of leading residents, including Messrs. T. A. Browne, J. W. Jones, D. J. Abercrombie, W. J. Turner, M. Dulhunty, T. Affleck, G. Fleming, and A. Emerson. In replying to the toast of "The Visitors," Mr. Wood expressed his hearty thanks for the kind reception accorded to the board, and said that although official etiquette would not permit him to anticipate his report to the Minister for Mines, he would assure them that the Minister's sympathies were in favour of prospecting work, and that he had a great desire to have the mineral wealth of the colony developed. Mr. David also responded, and the proceedings terminated.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The crushings on the various goldfields of the colony during the half-year ended 30th June gave a total yield of 221,195oz. of gold from 127,531 tons of stone. The total gold yield for the half-year, including alluvial, was 223,840oz. Charters Towers heads the list with 54,042oz.; then comes Gympie with 53,618oz., Rockhampton 47,686oz., Croydon 38,028oz., Etheridge 14,157oz., and Palmer 5054oz.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

The Gold Companies Working Miners' United and North Long Tunnel placed at higher rates. Mount Morgan and Long Tunnel had good support at yesterday's rates. A good many silver companies were dealt in at about late prices. Broken Hill Proprietary had a slight advance. Sales: Broken Hill, £266, £267; Junction, 40s.; South, paid, £5 13s., £5 14s.; British Brokens, 63s. 6d., 64s.; Centrals, paid, 28s.; Cordilleras, 24s. 6d., 24s.; Lewis Pond, 21s.; New North Brokens, 39s. 9d., 39s.; Victoria Cross, 11s. 6d.; Mount Morgan £15 7s., £6, £15 12s. 6d.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

Share Report.—Sales: Baker's Creek, £3 10s., £3 15s.; Brokens, £266 10s., £265 10s., £266; South, paid, £5 10s., £5 16s.; Block 14, £3 14s. 6d., £3 19s. 6d., £3 14s. 9d.; British, £3 5s., £3 3s.; Block 10, £2 6s., £2 3s.; Junction, £1 19s. 6d., £2 1s.; North, £1 19s. 6d., £1 19s.; Central, old, paid, 18s. 6d.; Crosses, 10s. 9d.; Eveleens, paid, 6s. 9d., 6s. 7½d.; Bonanzas, 4s. 3d.; King, 4s. 3d.; Pioneer, 4s. 3d., 4s. 2d.; War Dance, 3s. 6d., 3s. 7d.; Extendeds, No. 1, 3s. 1½d., 3s. 3½d.; Brassey, 1s. 7½d.; Central White Leads, 1s. 2d., 1s. 7½d.; Dream, 1s. 6d.; Prince, 1s.

GUNDAGAI, Saturday.

Mining matters in this district continue to improve every day.

GRAFTON, Saturday.

A representative Sydney syndicate is now inspecting some mining properties at Champigny, near South Grafton. Another is expected next week to visit Solferino, and report on prospecting claim at Garibaldi reef, which has during the last fourteen years yielded a large quantity of gold.

MANAGER'S REPORTS.

Broken Hill Block Silver-Mining Company, Limited, July 26.—Drill sunk for past week, 18ft. making total depth 612ft.; underlay, 1 in 1. Stopped for repairs two days. Shaft sunk 5ft., total depth 81ft. Country hard.

The Lubra Silver-mining Company, No Liability, July 23.—The distance the drive is now in from the shaft is 189ft. There are about 70ft. more to drive before breaking through to the old workings, which extend 130ft. S.W. towards the new shaft. We are driving exactly on the same level that the rich ore was taken out of in the old workings. When we break through it will be about the centre of the lower stopes.

Young Wallsend Coal-mining Company, Limited, July 28.—Sinking operations have been continued during the last fortnight; depth sunk 20ft., making a total of 247ft. from the surface. In last report I mentioned we were in hard conglomerate; this has been passed through; its thickness was a little over 30ft. Have also sunk through a hard grey shale, and black shale mixed with coal bands of about 9ft. in thickness. At present sinking through another bed of conglomerate 18ft. in depth; have sunk 11ft. in it, and are still continuing. The formation cutting of the railway has extended six chains during the fortnight, making the total distance 20 chains from shaft. Carpenters have got their frames ready to put into position, and are at present preparing foundation logs to receive them. I have got plans and section of bridges and culverts for the Young Wallsend railway ready to lay before the board of directors.

Commodore Company, July 23.—The shaft at the mouth of the bottom tunnel has been stopped, and I have been cutting away ground on the foot-wall side of the lode to make room for the main shaft, which I have this day started. On the 16th instant I started to drive main tunnel along the foot-wall, and have driven 12ft.; ore of a clayey nature. Have opened out drives in No. 3 winze 48ft. over back of main tunnel; will cross-cut to each wall. This will enable me, by close observation and assay, to take out the payable ore. The assays made give evident proof that the argentiferous and auriferous ore is to be found in shoots, and will pay handsomely if taken out and treated alone. In upper tunnel men are engaged clearing away stowage and laying truck road to No. 2 winze.

New Lewis Ponds, July 21.—Main shaft has been sunk 66ft. from plat, 153ft. from surface, timbered 26ft. of it, and completed plat at 87ft. level. In the shaft the country is more intermixed with pyrites. The tunnel has been driven 98ft. from the mouth. In the winze on the eastern wall am crosscutting west at a depth of 159ft. from surface towards the main shaft. On the outcrop of Spicer's lode the shaft has been sunk 32ft. from the surface. The eastern crosscut from the south-west shaft has been driven 33ft. at 7½ft. from shaft. The lode was cut, showing a width of 6ft. Have since passed through 19½ft. country charged with pyrites, and have indications of having reached the western wall.

The Broken Hill South Extended No. 1 Silver-mining Company, No Liability, July 20.—The contractor has commenced the erection of poppet-heads.

The North and South Cordillera Blocks Silver and Lead Mining Company, No Liability, July 21.—Adit rock still very hard. Have driven 6ft., making total of 220ft. Shaft north block has been sunk 9ft., total 51ft. from surface. There is a leader of quartz 18in. thick, which contains gossan and iron ore in small quantities. Other works progressing satisfactorily.

The Vanderbilt Silver-mining Company, Limited, July 23.—No. 1 tunnel has been driven a total distance of 333ft., am now in very bad working ground. No. 2 tunnel 330ft. in slate country. No. 3 tunnel driven 157ft., country much easier. Vanderbilt shaft, drive south on eastern leg of lode at 60ft. level extended 10ft., in the last 5ft. a complete change has taken place, the gossan has cut out, and face all silica. I stopped it until No. 2 tunnel is holed, and have employed the men centreing shaft from 115ft. to 60ft. level to form shoot for the delivery of ore into No. 2 tunnel. Have fixed main opening sets in shaft at 100ft., and started drive south to junction with No. 1 tunnel, where there is at present a nice body of ore about 4ft. wide half-way down the face.

North-east Mount Morgan Gold-mining Company, Limited, July 24.—Have sunk shaft a further depth of 6ft.; country continues hard quartzite with heavy patches of mundic in places.

Britannia Gold-mining Company, Limited, Forbes.—South end 90ft.-level men are now engaged driving on course of lode; stone having same appearance. North end cleared out.

THE DIVORCE EXTENSION BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I have read many of the letters appearing in your columns for and against the extension of grounds for divorce, and they have not shaken the opinion I have always had on the subject before ever the bill was first talked about. That men and women are bound together with unequal respective rights is only too certain. A man may commit adultery with impunity, and unless this is coupled with cruelty the wife must put up with this outrage. This is not fair, and many and many a woman would rather put up with occasional cruelty than have her heart cut to pieces through her husband's alienation, coldness, and neglect. To be fed, clothed, and housed is not everything in life. As for drunkenness, when it has become habitual, as in so many cases it does, rendering a man a perfect maniac, and the terror and hatred of his wife and family, is it not a terrible and unjust thing that she still must cohabit with him? for, not to speak of her own feelings, do we not all know, have we not all seen the often sad results?—children born, who turn out nervous, stuttering, weak mentally or bodily, wizened looking. Then there is the lazy or incapable man who never seems able to keep his wife and family from starvation; if he gets a situation, can't or won't keep it; but would be quite content to live upon his wife's little earnings, if she is fortunate enough to be able to do anything; but in these cases it is proverbial that children come thick and fast, and she, generally delicate through worry and semi-starvation, has not the health to keep up all this strain upon her, and down she goes; whatever affection she had for her husband crushed out by his selfishness and inability, if not unwillingness, to make the necessary effort to maintain his family. Now in any other set of circumstances, a bargain or contract is nullified by failure on either side to fulfil agreement, and very properly so; how much more so should this be in a contract for life fulfilled by one and repudiated by the other. In a lower class of life how often it happens that a man takes work at a distance, goes, and is never heard of again by the wife who now has before her a very poor choice of existence, and, if young, too often lives in sin with some other man till the time has expired, during which she may not marry, and by that time they are so used to the state of things and the light opinion of those around them that they don't think it worth while troubling about a parson. Sir Alfred Stephen says no good husband or wife need trouble about the Divorce Bill, and no more we need in the sense he means, but we cannot help considering our fellow-creatures who are not so fortunate. The cases I have mentioned are not isolated ones; they are terribly frequent. How often do we hear of a young girl of say 17 or so marrying a man considerably older than herself, who is a drunkard, promising to reform, and she, poor child, thinks she shall effect this by her influence over him. For a little time all goes well, and then begins the downfall, wearing her life away or changing her into a fiend from the very hopelessness of her prospects. Again, no man who has served a long term in gaol ever comes out any the better for it, he is invariably greatly degenerated and initiated into many mysteries in the downward scale of morality. In incarcerating him the law has decided that he is not fit to be a member of society, so surely it should be optional with his wife whether she keeps bound to him or not, for he is supposed to help in the moral training of their children.

The laws of divorce have hitherto been so very onesided and so considerably in favour of the male portion of humanity—showing, in fact, quite a tenderness for their little weaknesses and a brutal ferocity for those of the weaker sex—it is time for a little improvement, and Sir Alfred Stephen will have the blessing of the women of Australia, for, though many, we'll say most, are fairly and honourably treated, yet we all know of friends, acquaintances, if not relations, who are suffering under that bond which brings the highest point of happiness as well as the lowest point of misery. I am, &c.,

July 27. MARCHONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With reference to the letters from "Once a Wife always a Wife" and "A Wife, but not a Wife," I would ask what about the man who in the days of his youth marries a woman 10 years his senior, and afterwards finds out that they have the very opposite views regarding social, political, and religious questions? The woman, being the eldest, with certain fixed ideas, will not give way one iota, but thinking she is once a wife always a wife, secure in her position, will not yield a point; consequently in course of time, love is followed by coolness, then a constant irritation, and ultimately separation. Is it right that people of such opposite views and feelings should be compelled to live together, sit at the same table, at the same time almost hating each other? I say no, and thank Sir Alfred Stephen from the bottom of my heart for the effort he is making to bring peace on the earth.

I am, &c.,

A HUSBAND, BUT NOT A HUSBAND.

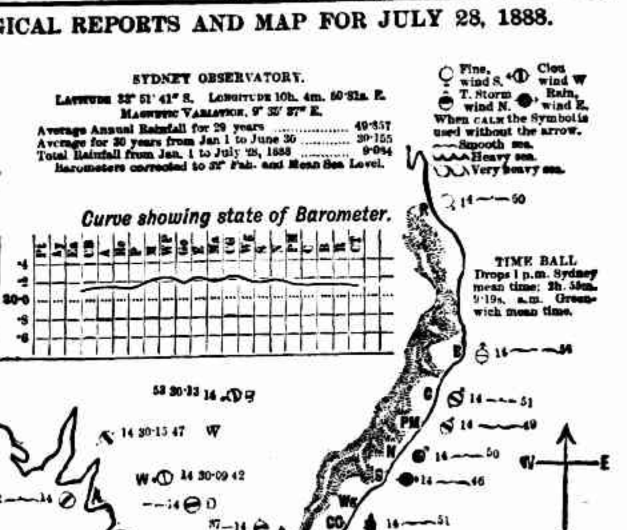
July 27.

The Court of Appeal (says a London paper) has given a decision of very great importance to the railway travelling public. The question directly at issue was whether in the event of a passenger losing his or her ticket a railway company can insist upon immediate repayment of the fare, and eject the person from the carriage if the money is not forthcoming. The Lords Justices have ruled that a company cannot do so, and incidentally they have expressed themselves pretty significantly upon the whole subject of the conditions under which passengers' tickets are issued.

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Stations.	wt.	Mx	m.	Rn.
Albury ..	c	55	32	0
Armidale	g	49	32	0
Balranald	g	56	35	0·02
Bathurst	r	51	34	0·11
Bendem'r	g	51	31	0·07
Bodalla ..	c	60	35	0
Bourke ..	g	58	44	0
Bowral ...	g	47	36	0
Bundarra	g	57	31	0
C'md'n H.	g	62	46	0
C. St. Geo.	p	56	46	0·09
Carcoar ..	g	47	33	0
Casino ..	g	67	44	0
Cassilis ..	u	52	38	0
Clarence .	c	64	50	0
C'nd'b'lin	g	57	42	0·10
Cooma ..	o	50	18	0
Coonab'n.	g	57	36	0·02
Cowra ..	g	55	29	0·05
Cudg'lico	g	60	45	0·01
Deniliq'n.	g	58	33	0·01
Dubbo ..	r	41	28	0·06
Eden	b	57	43	0·03
Euston ..	g	56	40	0·02
Forbes ..	g	—	39	0
G'bolal nd	r	52	43	0·06
Glen Inn's	o	40	31	0
Goulburn	g	52	28	0
Grafton ..	o	81	4[illegible]	0
Gulgong .	g	55	36	0·05
Gunned'h	c	64	42	0
Hay	g	53	38	0
Inverell ..	c	57	41	0
Kiandra .	c	43	13	0
Lismore. .	g	72	47	0
Maitland .	c	60	45	0
M'n'ng H.	c	59	44	0
Marsdens.	p	54	41	0
Menindie.	c	—	—	0·10
Molong ..	r	57	35	0
M'r'ng'r'D	r	61	40	0 01
Moree ...	g	75	72	0
Moruya ...	r	60	39	0
Moss Vale	r	47	36	0
Mt. Hope	g	65	46	0
M. Vict'ria	r	48	33	0·23
Mudgee ..	g	63	28	0·05
M'rr'mb'a	c	48	34	0
M'rr'r'ndi	o	51	33	0
Mu'lbe'k	g	58	39	0
Narrabri	b	64	33	0
Newcastle	r	61	45	0·04
Orange ..	g	46	36	0
Picton ..	g	57	33	0
P. M'q'rie	g	59	43	0
P. St'ph'n	g	53	43	0·25
Q'nbeyan	c	64	32	0
Quirindi	g	66	37	0
Singleton	g	68	44	0
Sydney ..	r	57	45	0·91
T'mworth	u	56	40	0·01
Taralga ..	c	56	33	0
Taree ..	-	—	—	-
Tnt'rfield	g	63	32	0
Wagga ..	g	55	24	0
Walcha ..	u	37	24	0
Walgett	g	60	42	0
Warialda	c	68	41	0
Warrah ..	g	50	32	0
W'ntw'rth	g	57	43	0·06
Wilcannia	g	61	39	0·10
W'll'ng'ng	r	59	47	0·01
Young ..	g	54	39	0



NOTES EXPLANATORY OF MAP.

In the list of stations, the column headed W.T. gives the state of the weather at 9 a.m., b standing for blue sky; c, detached clouds; d, drizzling rain; f, fog; g, gloomy; h, hazy; m, misty; n, frosty; o, overcast; p, passing showers; r, rain; s, snow; t, thunder; u, threatening. The next column, M'x., gives the maximum temperature for previous 24 hours. M'n, the corresponding minimum temperature; R'n, the rain for the previous 24 hours. The symbols used in the map are explained on the margin. At each station the wind symbol points to the direction in which the wind is blowing, is in fact an arrow flying with the wind. A clear circle with it means fine weather; a circle with bar, cloudy weather; and a black spot, raining. Next to this symbol are placed figures denoting the number of miles the wind is moving per hour. Next, a symbol showing the state of the sea; and, lastly, figures denoting the shade temperature at 9 a.m. The barometer curve shows the state of barometers round the coast from Perth to Cooktown:—Pt, Perth; Ay, Albany; Ea, Eucla; CB, Cape Borda; A, Adelaide; Re, Robe; P, Portland; M, Melbourne; WP, Wilson's Promontory; Go, Gabo; E, Eden; Ms, Moruya; CG, Jervis Bay; WG, Wollongong; S, Sydney; N, Newcastle; PM, Port Macquarie; C, Clarence River; B, Brisbane; R, Rockhampton; Ct, Cooktown. Inland, the state of barometer is given in figures at Albury, Deniliquin, Wentworth, Menindie, Bourke, and Alice Springs. The barometer curve enables one at a glance to trace the depressions, beginning with Western Australia, and passing along eastwards; northerly winds preceding them, and southerly following.

The rainfall on Sundays and holidays, when the map is not published, is in all cases included in the quantities shown by the next following map.

SYNOPSIS.

Western Australia.—No report.
South Australia.—Generally cloudy and gloomy; light northerly winds.
Victoria and Straits.—Fine, with more or less clouds, light N. winds.
Tasmania.—Cloudy, with fresh S.E. winds on the north coast.
New South Wales.—Cloudy, gloomy, and threatening rain throughout, raining over centre and coast.
Queensland.—Fine generally, more or less cloudy in south, light and variable winds.
Central and Northern Australia.—No report.
New Zealand.—Showery in Cook Strait, fine in north and south.

Forecast.—New South Wales: Generally cloudy, with light rains, calms and variable winds.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JULY 30.

Sun rises at 6.55, sets at 5.17; Moon, —— p.m., 10.56 a.m.; Mercury, 5.41 a.m., 3.49 p.m.; Venus, 7.17 a.m., 5.37 p.m.; Mars, 10.55 a.m., 12.15 a.m.; Jupiter, 12.10 p.m., 1.58 a.m.; Saturn, 7.11 a.m., 5.31 p.m. New moon, 9th; full moon, 23rd.

High water at Port Denison; 12.25 a.m., 12.44 p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL,
Government Astronomer.

COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE MARKET.—Saturday.

At the wharf to-day small consignments were received, chiefly from the Hunter River, but larger stocks may be looked for on Monday. Business was interfered with by the inclemency of the weather, and prices are unaltered. The wholesale quotations range as follows:—

Maize.—Fair stocks. Rather quiet at 2s 8d per bushel.

Oats.—Best seed samples quoted 2s 3d to 2s 5d per bushel; lower classes from 2s 1d; milling, 2s 4d to 2s 5d; seed, 2s 3d to 2s 6d.

Barley.—Cape seed slow of sale, 3s per bushel.

Bran.—Worth 9½d to 9¾d per bushel.

Pollard.—At 9½d per bushel.

Hay.—Additional supplies from the Hunter River this morning. Best new soft green lucerne, £4 15s to £5 per ton; extra good to £5 5s; dry summer, brown, and inferior stock, from 30s to £4 5s.

Chaff.—A Victorian shipment to hand last night, worth £3 10s to £4 5s per ton; Adelaide, £4 10 to £5.

Onions.—Quoted £7 5s per ton for Victorian kinds.

Potatoes.—Early rose seed descriptions from the Hunter River, £6 per ton; Warrnambool, £3 5s; Circular Head, £4; Ballarats, £3 12s 6d to £3 15s; New Zealand, £3 15s.

Butter.—Prime Illawarra Dairy sorts, 2s to 2s 2d per lb.; roll, 2s; factory made, 2s to 2s 3d.

Cheese.—Steady, 5d to 7d per lb. for ordinary colonial lots. Loaf ranges from 5d to 7½d.

Bacon.—Machine-cured southern quoted 4d to 5½d per lb. Exceptional parcels 6d to 6½d. Heavy and rough pieces, 2d to 3d. Hams, 5d to 7d.

Lard.—Best in bladders, 4d to 5d per lb. Bulk from 3d.

Honey.—Good and clear, 4d per lb. Other kinds from 2½d.

Eggs.—Unaltered, at 1s 4d per dozen for Northern River lots.

Poultry.—Quiet, at per pair:—Fowls, 2s 6d to 4s; ducks, 3s 3d to 3s 9d; geese, 5s to 7s 6d; turkeys, 6s to 12s.

STATION PRODUCE SALES.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Mort and Co., Limited, report having offered catalogues of sheepskins on Saturday. There was good competition, ruling prices being:—For full-wool skins, to 60d; best butchers', 40d to 50d; fair, 24d to 36d; medium, &c., 18d to 24d; pelts, to 15d. Best dry skins, per lb., 4½d to 5½d; medium, 3d to 4d; pelts and faulty, 2d to 3d.

Sales of horns and bones on Saturday are reported by J. H. Geddes and Co. and the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited. Lately ruling prices were maintained. Quotations: Coarse hair mane and tail, 12½d to 14d; cow, washed, 10d to 12½d; stumps, 4d to 8d; horns, large and good, 30s to 38s per 100; very large, to 41s 6d; medium size, 18s to 27s 6d; small, 8s to 17s 6d; tips, 3s to 8s; curls, 1s to 2s 6d; shank bones, very best, £5 to £7; medium sorts, £4 to £4 15s; inferior, £3 to £3 10s; common bones, £2 10s to £2 15s; beeswax, 9d to 10½d.

STOCK IN BONDED WAREHOUSES, SYDNEY.

Week ending July 27, 1888.

—	Stock in bond on July 20, 1888.	Since Imported.	Duty Paid.	Exported.	Total issues during week.	Stock in bond on July 27, 1888.
Rum, puncheons...	6	...	...	...	...	6
Ditto, hogsheads...	427	9	32	1	35	401
Ditto, quarters ...	2,155	39	77	44	121	2,073
Ditto, octaves ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, cases ...	4,458	...	219	51	276	3,188
Brandy, hhds. ...	424	3	6	...	6	421
Ditto, quarters ...	7,204	49	89	198	287	6,966
Ditto, octaves ...	365	...	1	...	1	364
Ditto, cases ...	33,367	99	418	193	611	32,855
Whisky, hhds. ...	62	...	3	...	3	59
Ditto, quarters ...	4,574	32	83	25	108	4,498
Ditto, octaves ...	620	...	14	6	20	600
Ditto, cases ...	50,875	1,526	1,571	394	1,965	50,436
White Spirit, pun.	17	...	...	...	...	17
Ditto, hogsheads...	5	...	1	...	1	4
Ditto, quarters ...	63	...	5	...	5	58
Ditto, octaves ...	41	...	...	...	...	41
All other spirits, p.	27	...	1	...	1	26
Ditto, hogsheads...	5	...	...	...	...	5
Ditto, quarters ...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Ditto, octaves ...	42	...	...	...	...	42
Ditto, cases ...	337	17	8	3	11	343
Geneva, ditto ...	15,317	365	470	36	506	15,176
Ditto, hogsheads...	34	...	...	...	...	34
Schnapps, cases ...	7,314	2,499	303	145	448	9,565
Gin, ditto ...	5,177	...	122	85	207	4,970
Liqueurs, ditto ...	1,917	210	67	18	85	2,042
Still Wine, butts ...	36	...	2	...	2	34
Ditto, hogsheads...	77	...	2	...	2	75
Ditto, quarters ...	1,094	84	68	14	82	1,096
Ditto, octaves ...	129	...	...	...	...	129
Ditto, cases ...	15,704	604	128	149	277	16,031
Sparkling Wine, do	5,368	240	76	72	148	5,460
Chicory, ditto ...	217	...	...	2	2	215
Opium, ditto ...	52	...	4	...	4	48
Kerosene, ditto ...	13,215	2,679	1,152	1,510	2,662	13,232
Tea, chests ...	4	100	61	...	61	43
Ditto, half-chests	51,212	14,79	5,108	117	5,225	47,466
Ditto, boxes ...	25,440	...	1,939	8	1,947	23,493
Ditto, packages ...	2,949	206	5	...	5	3,150
Sugar, tons ...	978 14 3	...	20 10 0	20 5 3	40 15 3	937 19 0
Coffee, tons ...	17 2 2	0 1 1	2 17 1	0 6 2	3 3 3	14 0 0
Tobacco, man'fctd.						
Ditto half-tierces...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, qr.-tierces...	969	...	...	10	10	959
Ditto, boxes ...	844	...	...	...	...	844
Ditto, cases ...	1,279	8	33	27	60	1,227
Leaf Tobacco, hds.	577	28	9	...	9	596
Ditto, tierces ...	407	...	4	...	4	403
Ditto, cases ...	37	...	...	...	...	37
Ditto, bales ...	117	...	1	...	1	116
Cigars, cases ...	869	32	23	30	53	848
Snuff, ditto ...	7	...	...	...	...	7
Rice, tons ...	1124 15 0	4 16 1	25 15 2	25 12 0	51 7 2	1078 3 3
Colonial Spirits—Rum, Custms. hds.	1,436	14	...	4	4	1,446
Ditto ditto, qrs. ...	32	29	...	...	...	61
Fruits, Dried, lbs.	275,292	66,672	47,759	3,012	50,771	259,391
Iron, Galv., tons...	1005 10 3	316 6 1	33 13 1	100 0	34 13 1	1287 3 3
Wire, Galv., tons	67 18 1	...	...	...	...	67 18 1
Ditto, iron & s., ts.	149 5 0	75 0 0	...	10 0 0	10 0 0	214 5 0
Salt, Rock, tons ...	140 5 0	100 0 0	...	...	...	240 5 0
Ditto, bags, tons	1969 0 3	100 0 0	30 9 3	512 0 1	542 10 0	1546 10 3

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Auction Sales.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

PONY STALLION.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
A grey pony stallion, about 13 hands; quiet in saddle and harness; tram trial.

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL MATCH.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary of the Association Cricket Ground to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
The right to the booths at the ground for the International Football Match, ENGLAND v. N. S. WALES, to take place on Saturday, 4th August next.

ST. BERNARD DOG, ROLLO II.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. R. F. Stephen to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
ROLLO II., pure-bred St. Bernard dog, age 19 months, correct markings, double [illegible] claws, a very massive superior animal, docile with children, and very valuable for stud or show purposes.
Sire Rollo, [illegible] Hebe.

SADDLE and HARNESS HORSE.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock.
Bay gelding, 4 years, 16 hands, broken to saddle, single and double harness, quiet to trams, a grand buggy or sociable horse.

NEAT SOCIABLE TURNOUT.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock,
A grey mare, 4 years, quiet in harness, used to tram; also sociable and harness, making a useful family turnout.
A single-seated tray buggy.

CONTINUATION
of
Messrs. E. M'CARTY and CO.'S CLEARING OUT SALE.

TO COACHBUILDERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

About
25 Vehicles, 120 Sets of Harness, and 80 Saddles, Lamps, Wheels, Axles, Springs, and all Building Materials necessary to coachbuilding.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

In consequence of Expiration of Lease and Premises being Pulled Down.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. E. M'Carty and Co. (the well-known coachbuilders), 210 and 212½, Pitt-street, to sell by auction, on the premises,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 31st INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp,
About 25 vehicles, consisting of buggies (single and double), sociables, &c.
120 sets of English, American, and colonial harness
80 saddles.
Also,
Lamps, wheels, axles, springs, &c., and all building materials necessary to coachbuilding.

The above is the balance of Messrs. E. M'Carty and Co.'s extensive stock, which time would not permit of being offered on first day of sale.

TO BREEDERS and OTHERS.

THOROUGHBRED STALLION EXCELSIOR.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. T. M'Carthy, Morpeth, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 31st instant, at 12 o'clock.
EXCELSIOR, brown stallion by Gemma de Vergy (imp.), from Vennetta by Sir Hercules, &c. He is an aged horse, but perfectly sound, very handsome, and a sure foal-getter; he has performed well on the turf.

Full particulars at the office. He is now on view at the Bazaar.

To PRIVATE GENTLEMEN and Others.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. F. Hegherty, Wollongong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
Handsome bay gelding, 6 years, 16 hands, by Ben Bolt, by Trump Card, dam by Julian Avenal; a good hack, and goes in double harness.

THE MOST STYLISH CHILDREN'S TURNOUT IN THE COLONY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from the owner (who is leaving for England) to sell by auction, at their City Horse Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, Monday, 11.30 a.m.,
New children's CART, to hold four
Beautiful and quiet PONY, with HARNESS.

The above is a very stylish and complete turnout, and sold only on account of owner leaving the colony.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. John Donahoe, of Muswellbrook, to sell by auction, at Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY, 8th August, at 2.30 p.m.,
30 head of active and heavy draught COLTS and FILLIES, and light HORSES, suitable for all kinds of light harness.

FOR PRIVATE SALE,
DRAUGHT MARES AND GELDINGS, HACKS, BUGGY, AND VAN HORSES.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have for Private SALE the above, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street.

EVERY INFORMATION AFFORDED TO BUYERS, AND TRIALS GIVEN.

TO HORSE-BREEDERS AND OTHERS.

ANNUAL SALE OF STUD HORSES, PEDIGREE MARES, PONY STALLIONS, &c., &c.

BROWN BROS. and CO. beg to notify that they purpose holding a SALE as above, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, EARLY IN AUGUST, and will be glad to receive particulars of STOCK intended for SALE at an EARLY DATE, so that particulars may appear in catalogue.
BROWN BROS. and CO., Auctioneers, &c.
July 2, 1888.

N.B.—JUST ARRIVED from VICTORIA and SOUTH AUSTRALIA, a SPLENDID LOT of STALLIONS, the property of Messrs. ROSS and M'GREGOR, of BALLARAT, including ROADSTERS, COACHING, and HEAVY DRAUGHTS, and some CHOICE PONIES, now on view. PEDIGREES and FULL PARTICULARS on application to the AUCTIONEERS.

HOMEBUSH YARDS, THIS DAY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Dempsey, of the Hunter, to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
60 PRIME FAT BULLOCKS from HUNTER RIVER PADDOCKS.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.

THIS DAY.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
THIS DAY, 11.30 a.m.,
FIRST-CLASS BUGGY HORSES, warranted sound, and any trial given
FIRST-CLASS HACKNEYS
UPSTANDING HORSES, suitable for 'bus work
SPRING CARTS, BUGGIES, and HARNESS.

AYRSHIRE COWS, HEIFERS, AND BULLS,
direct from
Mr. K. B. FERGUSSON'S STUD,
New Zealand.

BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. K. B. Fergusson, of Waitati Stud Farm, Dunedin, to sell privately, at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar, Castlereagh-street,
15 Pure-bred AYRSHIRE COWS and HEIFERS, some in full milk, others close to calving
2 Pedigree AYRSHIRE BULLS.

The above consignment of cattle will be found equal to any previous shipments from Mr. Fergusson, all young cows and heifers, well adapted for stud purposes, and as milkers cannot be surpassed.

Catalogues, with full particulars, on application.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.

THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tip drays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings, well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.

NEW LIGHT RUNNING S. S. BUGGY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A new light-running single-seated buggy, deserving of inspection.

SPLENDID VAN TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. C. KATO to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut active draught gelding, subject to trial, spring-van, and set of harness, only parted with owing to owner going into another line of business.

BAY GELDING, SUITABLE FOR BROUGHAM OR FAMILY SOCIABLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. LOVETT to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, July 31 instant, at 12 o'clock,
Bay gelding, 16 hands high, a very reliable horse in harness, stands tram, would suit brougham or family sociable, deserving of inspection.

VERY SUPERIOR BUGGY TURNOUT
ALSO D. S. BUGGY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JULY 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
Very stylish bay mare, exceptionally reliable in harness
Double-seated hooded buggy and harness, a splendid turnout.
Also, a light running double-seated buggy, in first-class order, deserving of inspection.

FOUR EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDINGS,
in grand condition, subject to trials.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. R. COOK, Marrickville, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JULY 31st instant, at 12 o'clock,
Pair extra heavy black draught geldings, subject to trial
Pair ditto ditto bay, ditto ditto.

The above horses are exceptionally good, in grand condition, and superior to anything offered at auction for months, and are only parted with owing to Mr. Cook being slack of work; and are deserving of special attention.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS,
TO-MORROW, 31st.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. IGGINS, Mittagong, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, July 31, at 2.30 p.m.,
20 SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES, consisting of heavy draught colts and fillies in grand condition, described as a really first-class lot.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 31st instant.

20 ORANGE DISTRICT HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. EDGAR and MATTHEWS, Orange, to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 2.30 p.m.,
20 upstanding colts, possessing quality and substance, suited for dray, van, and 'bus work, all 4 years old, in grand condition, fit for immediate work

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THURSDAY NEXT, AUGUST 2nd.

30 SUPERIOR WELL-BRED UPSTANDING HORSES, direct from the breeder.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the EXECUTORS of the COORONG ESTATE to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on THURSDAY Next, AUGUST 2nd proximo,
30 SUPERIOR WELL-BRED UPSTANDING HORSES, broken and unbroken, direct from the breeder, all of the one brand, suited for van, 'bus, cab, saddle, and general light harness work. Advised as a really first-class lot, and in grand working condition.

T. COSGROVE has received instructions from various owners to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Handsome black gelding, hooded buggy and harness
Bay gelding, Glenara, a grand saddle and buggy horse
Brown gelding, Widderin, good hackney, and very handsome
Bay gelding, Sequence, clever jumper
30 head of useful horses, consisting of stylish buggy, spring-cart, van, and draught horses
A number of vehicles of all descriptions.

ALEX. WILSON and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 30th instant,
30 prime fat cattle for Messrs. S. M'Caughey and Co., Toorale
1000 prime fat sheep for the Namoi Pastoral Co., Limited, Edgeroi, per rail and steamer.

ALEX. WILSON and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th instant,
1000 prime fat sheep, for the Namoi Pastoral Company, Limited, Edgeroi, per rail and steamer.

FAT CATTLE FOR MONDAY.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, through their auctioneer, Thomas Dransfield, will sell, at the Homebush Saleyards, THIS DAY, the 30th July, at 12 o'clock,
80 prime fat bullocks, W. F. Rutledge, Esq.
60 prime fat bullocks, J. G. Lackey, Esq.
20 prime fat bullocks, R. Rouse, Esq.

FORTNIGHTLY WOOL SALES.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, Monday, the 30th instant, at 12 o'clock sharp,
88 bales wool.
And at 12.30,
— Bags wool and sheepskins.

TRADE NOTICE.

MONDAY, 30th JULY.

HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell at Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th July,
170 prime fat cattle for Jas. Ball, Esq., Jerry's Plains
140 prime fat cattle for R. Ridge, Esq., Willie
500 prime fat sheep for J. Edgar, Esq., Burlong Creek
400 prime fat sheep for G. Palmer, Esq., Dubbo.

FAT STOCK for MONDAY'S SALE.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Homebush Sale Yards, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
600 prime fat sheep, for C. Johnstone, Esq., Nevertire
400 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Palmer Bros. and Co., Warraweena
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Western Agents
200 ditto ditto ditto, for C. Williams, Esq., Nevertire.

BUTCHERS, BUTCHERS, BUTCHERS.

JOHN EVANS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the New Meat Market, at 10 o'clock sharp,
60 quarters of prime beef, Strathearn
100 quarters of prime beef, various owners
150 carcases of mutton, extra good, Springfield.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction sale This Day, at 12 o'clock, beef, mutton, &c. H. M'Namara.

FAT CATTLE AND SHEEP.

HOMEBUSH, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by public auction, as above,
200 prime fat cattle for the A. A. Co., Warrah
170 ditto ditto for Messrs. J. and W. Christian, Mt. Marlow
51 ditto ditto for Mr. W. Cooper, Liverpool Plains
30 ditto ditto for Southern agents
2000 ditto sheep for Mr. Thos. Cook, Drilldool
1000 ditto ditto for Walhallow Estate
700 ditto ditto for Mr. W. J. Doyle, Muckerawa
600 ditto ditto for Southern agents
500 ditto ditto for Southern Agents
200 ditto lambs for Mr. R. W. Cordeaux, Bendooley
100 ditto ditto for Mr. W. Webb, Keirstone.

T. SULLIVAN and SON have received instructions from James Tyson, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Corporation Sale Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, the 30th instant, at 11 o'clock,
225 head of prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots.

TRADE NOTICE.

WILKINSON and LAVENDER will sell at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 30th instant, at usual hours,
800 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Kirpatrick and Quinn, Beeinery.
And
800 prime fat sheep, for R. M'Carthy, Esq., Marthaguy.

PRODUCE SALE at DARLING HARBOUR.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour Railway Station, THIS DAY, at half-past 9 o'clock sharp,
Hay, straw, chaff, wheat, maize, pumpkins, &c.

HAY, CHAFF, BRAN, STRAW, &c.

AT DARLING HARBOUR RAILWAY STATION,
THIS DAY,
at 9.30 a.m.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY and TRADING CO., Limited, will sell by auction, as above.

TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock.

2500 Sacks ADELAIDE and NEW ZEALAND BRAN. Salvage from the late fire on Messrs. Melliday and Co.'s premises, Sussex-street.

TATE BROS.' AGENCY AND TRADING CO., Limited, have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 158, Sussex-street, on TUESDAY next, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock sharp,
2500 sacks bran (some slightly damaged by water), in lots to suit purchasers.

Terms, cash. No reserve.

TUESDAY, 31st instant, at 12 o'clock.

750 Sacks Extra Prime
MILLING and FEED OATS.

TATE BROS., Limited, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on TUESDAY next, at 12 o'clock sharp,
The above consignment of really prime oats, in lots to suit purchasers.

TERMS, CASH.

MUSCLEBROOK, SATURDAY, August 18.

20 Pure Durham BULLS, fit for service
500 Durham COWS and HEIFERS, 18 to 36 months, from the well-known and highly-esteemed Ravensworth herd.

SPARKE and CLIFT have received instructions from the Land Company of Australasia to sell by auction, at the Municipal Yards, Musclebrook, on SATURDAY, the 18th August, 1888, at 1 o'clock,
The above-described bulls and females.

The Ravensworth cattle bear a high reputation throughout the northern district, and as this consignment is only placed on the market to make room for the large increase in the number of sheep, and the cattle are a thoroughly representative lot, breeders and others should avail themselves of the opportunity afforded of securing their requirements.

Terms, cash, or approved bills at 6 months' currency, interest at the rate of 6 per cent. will be accepted.

CLEARING-OUT SALE.

RICHARDSON and NIXON are instructed by Mr. H. Smith to sell by auction, at his Poultry Farm, Nobb's Flat, Undercliff, near O'Connor's Riverside Hotel, Marrickville, on
THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 12 o'clock noon,
The entire stock of a
PIG and POULTRY FARM,
comprising—
40 pigs, 400 ducks, 30 geese
Horse, cart, and harness
2 large coppers, cast; 1 large copper, wrought
1 chaffcutter, 1 force pump and piping, 1 6-dozen incubator
1 kitchen stove
Large quantity of galvanised iron, timber, tubs, casks, tools, &c.
Pony, buggy, harness
2-room weatherboard cottage.

RICHARDSON and NIXON,
Auctioneers,
Engine-street.

TO ENGINEERS, MECHANICS, AND OTHERS.

RICHARDSON and NIXON have been instructed by Messrs. Don, Irving, and Co. to sell by auction on the Premises, 110, Liverpool-street, on WEDNESDAY next, August 1, at 2 o'clock sharp,
The whole stock of an engineering establishment, as described below:
2½-horse Tangye engine and 4-horse Shanks boiler
9-inch screw-cutting and surfacing lathe, 10ft. gap bed, turn 4ft. by 12in., face plate, chuck plate, guides, tools, &c., &c.
6in. screw cutting lathe, 6ft. gap bed, face plate, chuck plate, guides, tools, &c.
Drilling-machine, drills, &c.
New bellows, water tool iron and tank, anvil, sledge hammers, good stock of tools, tongs, &c.
30ft. of 1½in. shafting and pulleys
Emery spindles, pulleys and wheels
Grindstone and pulleys complete
Set of stock and dyes, screw plate and taps
Vices, chisels, and files
Quantity good useful patterns
Testing screw for springs
10ft. common lathe, complete
Furnace for heating springs
Steam gear for bellows
Quantity of ½in. rod spring steel and other steel, suit tool makers
Tye bolts, &c., &c.

As Messrs. Don and Irving are about leaving the colony for America (on business in connection with Don's Patent Smoke Preventer), every line will be disposed of. The business is in full swing, and doing a good trade.
Inspection invited.
RICHARDSON and NIXON, Auctioneers,
Engine-street.

On the Premises,
Norwood, Campbell-street, Milson's Point,
THIS DAY, JULY 30, at 11 o'clock.

Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, including
Parlour, Bedroom, and Kitchen Requisites.

G. T. CLARKE and CO. have received instructions from T. Hayton, Esq., who is giving up housekeeping, to sell as above.
Without Reserve.
G. T. CLARKE and CO., Auctioneers, St. Leonards and 126, Pitt-street.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, 30th INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

To IRONMONGERS, GROCERS, SADDLE and HARNESS BUYERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, COACHBUILDERS, &c.

ENTIRELY UNRESERVED SALE
of
AMERICAN BUGGY HARNESS
INSIDE and OUTSIDE CARRIAGE VARNISH
SEAMING, TEA and COUNTER TWINES
HESSIAN BAGGING, BRUSHWARE
TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY, &c.

Just Landed, ex Centurion.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the shippers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, 30th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
An extensive consignment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 31st INSTANT,
at 11 o'clock sharp.

To BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS, MARBLE MERCHANTS, ARCHITECTS, GASFITTERS, PLUMBERS, &c.

For POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

A SPLENDID SHIPMENT
of
MARBLE MANTELPIECES,
in
Sicilian, Rouge, St. Anne's, Hilas, and Jaune Dorée, arched and square
FINE CAST and GROUND FRONT GRATES
MARBLE and IRON FENDERS, MINTON TILES
2, 3, and 4 Light GASALIERS, BRACKETS, HALL LAMPS, &c.

Just Landed, ex Centurion.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. have been instructed by the importers to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 1st instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
A splendid shipment of the above.

NO RESERVE.

TERMS AT SALE.

UNDER A BILL OF SALE.

THIS DAY, Monday, at 11 o'clock, at the Labour Bazaar, Pitt-street.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, by order of the bill-of-sale holder,
Three valuable pianofortes, nearly new, by very superior makers, in black-and-gold and walnut cases, full toned with all the latest improvements, well worth the attention of buyers
H. H. couches, chairs, drawing-room suites, walnut sideboard (plate-glass back, marble top)
Inlaid tables, davenports, whatnots, pier glasses, ornaments, carpets, linoleums, rugs, &c., &c.
Dining-room sideboards, chiffoniers, tables, dinner, breakfast, and tea services, glass and china
Double and single 4-post and half-tester bedsteads and bedding, wardrobe, duchess toilets
Chests of drawers, washstands and sets, toilet tables and glasses, safes, dressers, kitchen tables, chairs, &c.
Cooking utensils, large Buckye cooking stove (new), patent mangle, and sundries.
Also,
A quantity of superior Havannah and Manila cigars, tobac cocs, &c., &c.
No reserve.

WOOLLAHRA.

TUESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock.
At 62, DENISON-STREET, off Queen-street, WOOLLAHRA.

ALEX. MOORE and CO. are instructed by Mr. Turner to sell by public auction, on the premises,
SIDEBOARD, PLATE-GLASS BACK, dining and other tables, AUSTRIAN SUITE, Eugenie couch, overmantel, clock, oleographs, ornaments, combination and other chests drawers
TUBULAR BEDSTEADS and bedding, toilet tables and glasses, washstands and ware, kitchen and laundry utensils, &c.

Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, July 30, at 10 o'clock,
on the Premises, Emery's Old Established Dining Rooms,
579, George-street,
The whole of the Plant of a large Restaurant, comprising Pier Glasses, Cedar Dining Tables, Austrian Chairs, Cruets, Glassware, Cutlery, Platedware
Bedsteads and Bedding, Toilet Tables and Glasses
Washstands and Sets, Kitchen Utensils and Sundries.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions from the Proprietor (who is relinquishing the business on account of ill-health) to sell by auction, the above.
The whole will be offered in one lot, as a going concern; if not sold will be offered in lots to suit purchasers.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, July 30, at 11 o'clock.

At the Haymarket Arcade, George-street.

Large quantity of PLATE GLASS, from 7 x 6 to 3 x 6; SHEET GLASS, IRON COLUMNS, Counters, Partitions, Shelving, Shop Fronts, Gasaliers, &c.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, Haymarket Arcade, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, the above.
The whole to be removed at once, as the premises are to be converted into a music hall.
To be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 2 o'clock.
On the Premises, Perryville, Perry-street, Stanmore, off Addison-road.
Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, comprising: Walnut Pianoforte, by Hapsburg, Drawing-room Suite
Dining-room Suite, in horsehair; Centre and Dining Tables.
Pier Glasses, Carpets, Couches, Chairs, Sideboards
Double and Single Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests of Drawers
Toilet Tables and Glasses, Washstands and Sets, Kitchen Tables
Crockery, Cutlery, Glassware, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions to sell by auction, on the Premises, Perryville, Perry-street, Stanmore, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.
The above.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, July 31, at 11 o'clock.
In the Bankrupt Estate of J. W. Black, M'Kenzie-street, Balmain.
STOCK of GROCERIES.

DUNN and WEBB have received instructions from the Official Assignee in the above estate to sell by auction at their rooms, 280, Pitt-street,
The above.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
At 16, Ridge-street, near Bourke and Cleveland streets, Surry Hills.
Sideboard, Austrian Chairs, Pier Glass, Couch, Tables
Carpets, Oilcloth, China, Glass, E.P. Ware, Ornaments, Curtains
Chests Drawers, Bedsteads' Duchesse Toilets, Spring Blinds
Dresser, Filter, Kitchen Utensils (all nearly new).

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed by Mr. James to sell by auction, on the premises,
The above. Terms, cash.
Office—Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock,
at 5, Cliff-terrace, Wigram-street, Forest Lodge,
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, on the Premises,
The above. Terms, cash.
Office—Equitable-chambers, 295, Pitt-street.

Preliminary Notice.
The PLANT and STOCK of a MONUMENTAL MASON, together with HORSE, CARTS, SHEDS, TOOLS, &c.,
on SATURDAY, August 4, at half-past 2,
at the WORK SHEDS, facing Waverley Cemetery, Waverley.

To Private Gentlemen, the Trade, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed (in consequence of expiration of lease) to sell by auction,
The above. Terms, cash.
Particulars in a future issue.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 11 o'clock sharp.
Under Distraint for Rent.
On the Premises, Grosvenor-terrace, Grosvenor-street, Woollahra.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects.

J. B. TAYLOR and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, as above.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

J. GIDLEY FLEMING and SONS will sell at 161, Pitt-street, Drawing-room suites, wardrobes, chest drawers, chiffoniers, brass-mt. bedsteads, wire mattresses, tables, chairs, couches, &c., &c. Also at 168, Pitt-st., at 2, pair tables, wardrobes, draw.-r. suites, chs. drawers, b'steads, Jap. vases, &c.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR SALE.

HYAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by public auction, under distraint for rent, THIS DAY, Monday, at 2 p.m., on the premises, 19, Shaftesbury Gardens, off Glebe-street, Glebe,
Household furniture and effects.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 11 o'clock.
Dresses and Dress Pieces, Overcoats, Sheets, Quilts
Blankets, Underclothing, Boots, &c.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction at his Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, the unredeemed clothing pawned with Mr. H. Cohen, of King-st., Newtown.

MILLINERY AND DRAPERY STOCK
at
28, OXFORD-STREET WAVERLEY
(near Newland-street),
at 11 a.m., THIS DAY.

ADRAIN and WINDROSS, Lyndon-chambers, 95, Phillip-street, have received instructions to sell by auction, at the above address, without reserve,
THE STOCK-IN-TRADE
of
MILLINERY and DRAPERY.
Also,
COUNTER, SHOP FITTINGS, &c.,
including
Tapestry curtains, oilcloth
TWO DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES
Large pier glass and show cases
Fashionably trimmed hats and bonnets
Feathers, flowers, dress pieces
Ready-made costumes, hosiery
Haberdashery, &c.

In lots to suit purchasers of all classes.

THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 a.m.

Under instructions from Mr. Ball,
THORNTONLEIGH, PENKEVIL-STREET,
BONDI.

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

DRAWING, DINING, and BED ROOM FURNITURE.

MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE, by [illegible]
Glass, China, E.P. Ware,
PRIME POULTRY.

B. R. HARRIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Ball to sell the above by auction, at Thorntonleigh, Penkevil-street, Bondi, THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

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Auction Sales.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
ex Recent Arrivals.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
All New and Seasonable Goods,
comprising
WOMEN'S Glace Side Springs
Ditto Slippers
Ditto Levant Balmorals
Ditto Court Shoes
Ditto Levant Shoes
GIRLS' and BOYS' Levant Persian E. S.
Ditto Slippers
Ditto Levant E. S.
CHILDREN'S Levant Button Boots
Ditto Shoes, strap and button
Ditto Patent Calf Boots
MEN'S Slippers
Ditto Balmorals
Ditto Kid and Calf Boots
Ditto Colonial-made Boots, nailed and plain
&c., &c., &c.

To Boot and Shoe Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL by AUCTION, as above, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

4 Cases PATENT ELASTIC BOOT WEB,
consisting of
ELASTIC WEB, 3, 3½, 4, 4½, and 5 inch
COLOURED WEB, ½ and ¾.

To Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, Boot and Shoe Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

THIS DAY, 30th JULY,
at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS, OIL PAINTINGS,
OLEOGRAPHS, &c., &c.,
splendidly framed
in
Bronzed, Gilt, Maple, and Oak Frames.

This COLLECTION includes
LAND and SEA SCAPES, Figure subjects
Views in and around England, N. S. W. Scenery
Farmyard Scenes, Historical Subjects
Hill Life
&c., &c., &c.

To Lovers of the Fine Arts, Picture Dealers, Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 30th July, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

On the Premises,
80, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.
Under instructions from
JAS. M'CARTHY, Esq.

The whole of his
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
including
MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in fine Italian Walnut, iron bound, overstrung, trichord throughout, by the celebrated makers, Collard and Collard, of London.
Walnut Music Canterbury.
HANDSOME MARBLE CLOCK, Cathedral Gong.
Plush Corner Brackets. Corner Whatnots.
WALNUT MARBLE-TOP CHIFFONIER.
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in finely-carved Walnut Frames, and upholstered in green-figured Damask.
Parian Marble Busts. Japanese Ornaments
Inlaid Pearl Occasional Chairs.
Gipsy Tables. Walnut Loo Tables.
Lace and Tapestry Curtains.
MAGNIFICENT BRUSSELS CARPETS. Large Skin Rugs.
Bronze Statuettes.
BLACK AND GOLD OVERMANTELS.
SPLENDID OAK HALL SUITE.
MASSIVE SIDEBOARD IN CARVED OAK.
Oak Dinner Waggon.
TELESCOPE DINING TABLE in Oak.
DINING-ROOM SUITE, upholstered in Green Morocco.
ICE CHEST in Oak, en Suite.
Austrian Bentwood Chairs, with Cane Seats and Backs.
BLACK ENAMELLED AND BRASS FOUR-POST BEDSTEADS.
Wove Wire Spring Mattresses.
MAHOGANY CHESTS OF DRAWERS.
Mahogany Toilet Glasses.
Mahogany Washstands. Sets of Toilet Ware.
Walnut Settee, Couches.
Bentwood Towel Rails. Bedroom Chairs.
SPLENDID GAS STOVES.
Asbestos Warming Stoves.
Kitchen Utensils. Laundry Requisites.
COLLECTION of FERNS.
&c. &c. &c.

To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from JAMES M'CARTHY, Esq., to hold the above IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION of his superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, at his residence,
80, WILLIAM-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO,
on
TUESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

CATALOGUES have been prepared, and may be obtained at the OFFICES of the AUSTIONEERS.

ON VIEW—MONDAY, 30th JULY.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account of Whom it may Concern. With all Faults.

Ex Trafalgar, from London.

75 Cases COFFEE and MILK.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account of Whom it May Concern.
To Close Accounts.

70 Quarter-casks TARRAGONA PORT WINE.

To Wine and Spirit Merchants, Hotel Proprietors, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

THE NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY,
at
half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

AMERICAN and COLONIAL-MADE BUGGIES,
comprising
SINGLE BUGGIES, with and without hoods
DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGIES, with brake and lamps
EXPRESS WAGGONS, Sociables
AMERICAN CONCORD BUGGIES.

3 Cases AMERICAN BUGGY HARNESS,
also,
PATENT FOLDING PERAMBULATORS, BABY CARRIAGES, &c., &c., &c.

To Coachbuilders, Livery Stable Proprietors, Fancy Repositories, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next, 31st JULY, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

Under Instructions from the Importers.

1700 bags and pockets QUEENSLAND and COLONIAL SUGARS
20 cases SAFFRON
50 ditto ASSORTED JAMS
50 ditto Durand HALF SARDINES
5 ditto ANCHOVIES
30 ditto Morton's FRESH HERRINGS
50 ditto PRESERVED MEATS
50 ditto LONDON VINEGAR
25 Quarter-casks DITTO
500 boxes CANDLES
20 Hogsheads MOLASSES
100 boxes ELEME RAISINS
58 cases DANDELION COFFEE, 2, 4, and 6 dozens
8 ditto MILLET BROOMS, Red Handle
8 ditto DITTO, Polished Handle
25 ditto CUTTY PIPES
76 boxes Cork CUTTY PIPES
50 cases Half-pint CASTOR OIL
240 dozen CLOTHES LINES
46 cases CONDENSED MILK
120 dozen Half-pint CURRY POWDER
2cwt. CURRY POWDER
74 cases packet HOPS, ¼lb. and 1lb.
11 casks BARCELONA NUTS
1 case Morton's SEIDLITZ POWDERS
4 ditto Kew's pint LUCCA OIL
109 boxes Swinbourne's ISINGLASS, assorted sizes
280 ditto Swinbourne's GELATINE, assorted sizes
&c., &c.

To Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Tobacconists, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY NEXT, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern. With all faults.
Ex Evie Reed, from New York.

2 Cases (each 5000) CIGARS.

The above are stored in the Australian Bond, where intending purchasers are invited to inspect. Inspection Orders will be obtainable at the Offices of the Auctioneers.

To Tobacconists, Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY next,, 31st JULY, at 11 a.m.

TERMS AT SALE.

DOUBLE BAY.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 31st JULY,
at 11 o'clock a.m.

IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION,
at
THE RESIDENCE of the LATE W. P. WOOLCOTT, Esq.,
HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY.

Under instructions from
THE ADMINISTRATOR to the ESTATE,
of the whole of the
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and EFFECTS,
comprising—
HANDSOME SOLID MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD, fitted with Trays, Drawers, and Cellarette, size 6ft. 6in.
WALNUT DINNER WAGGON, with DRAWER
SOLID OAK DINING-ROOM SUITE, consisting of Couch, 2 Easy Chairs, and 6 Small Chairs, upholstered in stamped dark green velvet
8ft. EXTENSION DINING TABLE
MAHOGANY HALL TABLES and HALL SEATS
LARGE BAGATELLE BOARD
SUPERIOR MAHOGANY BOOKCASE
LARGE SOLID ROSEWOOD OVAL TABLE
AUSTRIAN CANE COUCH
SUPERIOR BRUSSELS CARPET
VERY HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in solid Walnut. The frames richly carved and upholstered in Genoa Velvet with Plush Borders, consisting of Settee, Lady's and Gentleman's Easy Chairs, 2 Occasional Chairs, and 4 small chairs
ELEGANT PIER GLASS, in EBONISED and GOLD FRAME, with hand-painted cove top, the centre mirror of bevelled plate glass, and the sides fitted with numerous shelves
Walnut and Inlaid Half-Circle Card Table
FINE WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS and OIL PAINTINGS
HANDSOME EBONISED MUSIC CABINET
THE MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE
by
LIPP and SOHN.
A very high-class instrument, in splendid order, and worthy the inspection of intending purchasers.

THE AMERICAN ORGAN (5-stop),
in
HANDSOME WALNUT CASE,
by
THE STERLING ORGAN COMPANY.

The Appointments of
SEVERAL BEDCHAMBERS,
including
HANDSOME ASH and WALNUT SUITE
POLISHED PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES
SUPERIOR BEDSTEADS and BEDDING
complete
FIRST-CLASS LINOLEUM
(almost new)
&c., &c.

Also,
KITCHEN FURNITURE and UTENSILS
GAS STOVE.

LAWSON and BROUGHTON have been favoured with instructions from the ADMINISTRATOR to the ESTATE of the LATE W. P. WOOLCOTT, Esq., to sell by auction on TUESDAY, 31st JULY, at 11 o'clock a.m., at his late RESIDENCE, HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY,
The whole of the
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and
EFFECTS.

CATALOGUES can be obtained at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS, 333, GEORGE-STREET.

On VIEW THIS DAY, MONDAY, JULY 30,
from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*** HENRIETTA-STREET, DOUBLE BAY,
is
CLOSE TO THE 'BUS STAND,
OCEAN-STREET.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

TEA, SUGAR
OILMEN'S STORES
GROCERIES
ELEMES
PROVISIONS,
&c., &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell the above by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 1, at 11 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

AT THE CITY MART,
at 11 o'clock.

On Account of Whom it May Concern.

2500 Boxes De Roubaix Jenar CANDLES,
each 25lb.

With all Faults (if any).

Bulk at our Stores.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars of survey report at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1.

AT THE CITY MART.

AT 11 O'CLOCK.

More or Less Damaged.

1000 Boxes GOUDA CANDLES,
each 25lb.

Ex ACHILLES, from London.

On account of whom it may concern.

By Order of Messrs. Jules Renard and Co.

Bulk at Rooms.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars of survey at sale.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

ON THE PREMISES,
DIXON-STREET, DARLING HARBOUR.

By order of the Directors
of the
N. S. W. FRESH FOOD and ICE COMPANY.

CLEARING SALE
of
OLD MACHINERY
BOILERS
PLANT
CHURNS, TANKS,
PUMPS
ICE MACHINERY
PIPES, &c.

Sold to make way for the New and Improved Machinery now being erected at their Works for the further development of their business.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above.

Particulars in Catalogues now issued.

IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.

A SELECT PARCEL (indent) of GENERAL DRAPERY,
comprising
COTTON, FLANNELETTE, and CRIMEAN SHIRTS
FLANNEL and MERINO UNDERSHIRTS
FANCY DRESS STUFFS, CASHMERES, TWEEDS
UNDERCLOTHING, COSTUMES, JACKETS
HOSIERY, GLOVES, PARACHUTES, TIES
SCARFS, WOOL SHAWLS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS
CRETONNES, FLAX SHEETINGS, PRINTS
LONGCLOTHS, SHEETINGS, and GREYS
FELT HATS, UMBRELLAS, COLLARS
WHITE SHIRTS, CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., &c.
GENT.'S SOLID LEATHER BAGS.

A nice indent of goods, suited for country or suburban businesses.

KELLETT and ALFORD are favoured with instructions from the Agents to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 11 sharp,
13 packages seasonable goods, ordered for this season.

To be sold at importer's risk.

Including varieties of the above goods.

No reserve.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

With all faults.
JW over S in triangle.

8 1 case SERGE TROUSERS and SHIRTS, AF
9 1 case SERGE SHIRTS, sound.

KELLETT and ALFORD are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 111, Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 sharp,
The above.

Terms, cash.

TO BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, AND OTHERS.

LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction, at corner Druitt and Clarence streets, on TUESDAY, July 31, at 11 o'clock.
The building materials six houses—joisting, scantling, studding, rafters, lining, flooring and weather boards, French casements, doors, balcony railing, iron gates, sills, hearth stones, grates, mantlepieces, doors, windows, 300 sheets galvanised iron, 5000 Bangor slates (nearly new), 300,000 bricks, bascocourse stone, &c.
LENEHAN and CO., 41, Goulburn and George streets.

WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 12 o'clock.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
POT PLANTS, SHRUBS, and FERNS
FRUIT TREES and FLOWERING BULBS,
comprising Camellias, Fuchsias, Daphnes, Ferns, Roses, Pansies, Ardisias, Carnations, &c., Peach, Pear, Apple, Plum, Nectarines, Mulberry Trees, and a splendid lot of Flowering Bulbs.

DUNN, WEST, and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Temple-court, Elizabeth-st., The above, from a well-known Sydney nursery.
Absolutely without Reserve.

THIS DAY, 30th JULY, at 11 o'clock.

On the Premises, No. 6, JESSIE-TERRACE, UPPER WILLIAM-STREET South, Darlinghurst.

SURPLUS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
comprising—
Morocco Dining-room Suite
Tapestry Drawing-room Suite
Large Bevelled-glass Back Sideboard
Seven Half-Tester and Stump Bedsteads
Chests of Drawers and Washstands.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by auction, at the above address, THIS DAY, 30th July, at 11.30 o'clock,
The above-described furniture.

TUESDAY, JULY 31.

To Private Buyers, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, and Others.

REGULAR WEEKLY
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE,
comprising—
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES
CEDAR and PINE WARDROBES, plate-glass doors
Portable and Combination CHESTS DRAWERS
Elegant Cedar and Pine BEDROOM SUITES
Massive Cedar SIDEBOARDS, with plate-glass back
Cedar and Pine CHESTS DRAWERS
CHIFFONIERS, BOOKCASES
Pine and Cedar TOILETS, marble top, tiled back
CHIFFONIER SAFES, WASHSTANDS
Dining and Toilet TABLES
Cedar and Pine SAFES
OFFICE DESKS, FANCY TABLES
KITCHEN DRESSERS, TABLES, &c., &c.

ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, covered in silk tapestry
Massive WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in leather

3 Cases splendid OLEOGRAPHS, in Alhambra jet frames

Wove Wire MATTRESSES, single and double
CARPET SQUARES, HEARTH RUGS, &c.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, JULY 31, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash.
No reserve.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Hotelkeepers, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

35 Cases MOIR'S DRIED HERRINGS
20 Ditto ditto ditto SPICED ditto,
in splendid order.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash.
No reserve.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Shippers, and Others.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

125 Cases ROUND PICKLES
100 Dittto SALAD OIL
100 Ditto VINEGAR
125 Ditto QUARTER SARDINES
130 Ditto HALF SARDINES
400 Ditto PRIME CURRANTS
40 Boxes JORDAN ALMONDS
5 Tanks SULTANAS
250 Boxes PRIME PERSIAN DATES
30 Bags OATMEAL
2 Cases HAVANNAH CIGARS,
and
GENERAL GROCERIES.

MILLS and PILE will sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

To close accounts for outgoing mail.

2000 BOXES DRJ SPERM CANDLES,
in guaranteed order and condition.

In lots to suit purchasers.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions from the consignees to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.

Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

To Wholesale Grocers, Shippers, Dealers, and Others.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults, if any.

1133 BOXES DRJ SPERM CANDLES,
ex Narcissus.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell the above by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, August 2, at 11 o'clock.

Terms, cash.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1st, at 11 o'clock.

UNRESERVED SALE
of
GENERAL DRAPERY, CLOTHING, &c.

To be SOLD in TRADE LINES.

78 ORIGINAL PACKAGES,
comprising
Superior Hosiery, Mercery, Shirts, Hats, Gloves
Underclothing, Dress Goods, Costumes, Mantles
Holland and Diaper Pinafores, Aprons, Infant Pelisses
White and Grey Calicoes, Sheetings, Silesias, Hollands
Flannels, Blankets, Rugs, Carpets, Floorcloths
Men's and Boys' Ready-made Clothing, Cotton Shirts
Cardigan Jackets, Silk Handkerchiefs, Undershirts
Millinery, Haberdashery, Laces, Embroideries.

BOOTS and SHOES. BOOTS and SHOES.

TERMS LIBERAL, at SALE.

JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, August 1st, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

Full particulars at Sale.

THIS DAY, at 11,
at Premises 2, Trafalgar-street, ENMORE.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 11.

Cash at once, no cheques. Office—Newtown Markets.

On TUESDAY, at 11,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
On Premises, 175, GEORGE-STREET WEST, back entrance.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE only,
Sundries, &c., &c.,
at back entrance, 175, George-street West.

EDWARD FRENCH will sell at 11.

Cash at once, no cheques. Office—Newtown Markets.

SILVER HILL MINING COMPANY, No Liability.—NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned SHARES in the above Company have been FORFEITED for non-payment of calls, and will be SOLD by public auction at the Rooms of Messrs. BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 12 noon on MONDAY, 13th August, 1888:—
500 shares, 26,001-26,500, J. P. Abbott; 500 shares, 33,501-34,000, Gat. Buzacott; 1000 shares, 22,501 to 23,500, W. H. Traill; 100 shares, 27,001-27,100, C. W. Cropper; 1500 shares, 32,001-33,000, 20,001-20,500, W. A. Kingscote; 100 shares, 24,901-25,000, W. Bladen; 150 shares, 34,001-34,150, C. Smith; 2000 shares, 35,501-36,500, 33,501-34,500, W. M'Millan; 750 shares, 34,250-35,000, R. M'Lintoch; 600 shares, 31,001-31,400, 31,801-32,000, J. Higgins; 100 shares, 39,501-39,600, H. Richards.
By order of the Board. GRESLEY LUKIN,
Sydney, 25th July, 1888. Manager.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1.

ON THE GROUND.

FARM, ORCHARD, and VINEYARD BLOCKS,
YORK'S ESTATE, PENRITH,
comprising
Frogmore, Garswood, Enfield, Chipping, Filly Paddock, and other portions well-known as being among the Choicest Agricultural Land in the County of Cumberland.

THE FIRST SUBDIVISION
will be offered
for
SALE BY AUCTION
on
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1,
at 3 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND.

The Estate has been subdivided into
5, 10, and 20 ACRE BLOCKS

Intending Purchasers of Farms for Orchards, Vineyards, &c.,
SHOULD WAIT
for
THIS SALE.

This Estate is within
HALF A MILE
of the
PENRTH COURT HOUSE and POST and TELEGRAPH OFFICES.

T. R. SMITH has received instructions from the Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association, Limited, to sell by auction, on the GROUND, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, at 3 o'clock,
The ABOVE VALUABLE ESTATE,
at
PENRITH

TERMS:—For 5-Acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 5s acre per month; interest 6 per cent. 10-Acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 4s per acre per month; interest 6 per cent. 20-Acre Blocks, £1 per acre deposit, balance 3s per acre per month; interest 6 per cent.

For further particulars apply
T. R. SMITH,
Mercantile-chambers,
35, Park-street, Sydney.
Also,
at the office of the Vendors, 65, Market-street,
Sydney,
ROBERT W. CONWAY,
Manager.

BUILDING MATERIALS of TWO SHOPS, Nos. 210½ and 212, Pitt-street, a few doors south of Market-street, for AUCTION SALE, on the Ground, THIS DAY, 30th instant, at 3 p.m.
(2250) RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

STANMORE,
one of our best Railway Suburbs.

Semi-detached RESIDENCE, with VACANT BLOCK OF LAND, corner of MALTON-CRESCENT (overlooking the line) and MERTON-STREET, a little west of Railway Station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
Corner block of land, about 83ft. frontage to MALTON-CRESCENT, and 101ft. to Merton-street, the other side line is 123ft. On it is a semi-detached HOUSE, of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, with verandah and balconies, and containing hall, 5 rooms, servant's room, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
The greater portion of the frontage is vacant.
*** A nicely-situated dwelling, with land attached, in a fashionable, quickly-reached, and elevated suburb.
Inspection invited between 3 to 5 o'clock any afternoon. (2238)

BUILDING ALLOTMENT.
PITT-STREET FRONTAGE.

LEASE FOR 21 YEARS.

By Order of the Proprietors.

LARGE BLOCK of LAND on the East Side of Pitt-street, adjoining Fennelly's well-known Horse Bazaar, having a frontage of 52ft. 11 1-10in. by a depth of about 181ft.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 3rd AUGUST Next, at 11 o'clock,
The right to a lease for 21 years, from 1st September next, to the block of Pitt-street land particularised above, subject to a building covenant to be hereafter mentioned.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON are Solicitors for the Estate.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

TERMS, AT SALE.

EQUITY OF REDEMPTION.
DENNING-STREET, STANMORE,
an elevated situation near to road and station.
TWO DWELLINGS of brick, on stone foundations, cemented and painted fronts, slate roofs, each verandah and balcony, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, with tubs and copper.
Bankruptcy of Thomas Dryden.
The LAND has a frontage of about 42ft. to Denning-street, by a depth of about 85ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The equity of redemption in and to the above mortgage is £600 and some interest.
The property is situated a few yards from the corner of Frederick-street, and within a short distance of Norwood Park Recreation Grounds. (2245)

BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

PITT-STREET FRONTAGE.

LEASE FOR 21 YEARS.

By order of the Trustees of the Will of the late George Hill, Esq.

LARGE BLOCK OF LAND, having a frontage of about 58 1-10ft. to the east side of PITT-STREET, commencing about 185ft. from the intersection of MARKET-STREET, and running back by a depth of about 160ft. to a lane 20ft. wide, which lane is approached by a right-of-way 10ft. wide from PITT-STREET.
THIS LARGE BLOCK will be offered at auction, in two lots, viz.:—
Lot 1, 30 FEET
Lot 2, 28 FEET 5 INCHES frontage respectively.

*** The buyer of lot 1 (30ft. frontage) shall have the right to take lot 2 at the same rent per foot per annum as brought by lot 1, without further competition.
*** The buyer of lot 2 (28 1-10ft.) shall have the right to build over the 10ft. right-of-way at the southern end of the property, at a height of not less than 14ft. from the level of the roadway.

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, the 3rd AUGUST next, at 11 o'clock,
The right to a lease for 21 years, from 1st September next, to the two blocks of PITT-STREET LAND particularised above, subject to a building covenant of £4000 per block, to be expended within the next 2 years.
In case the two lots should be bought by the same purchaser, then the building covenant on the whole will be reduced to £7000.
Plans of the buildings intended to be erected are to be subject to the approval of the vendors' architect.
Messrs. Macnamara and Norton, Bond-street, are solicitors for the estate.

PLAN ON VIEW.

TERMS AT SALE. (2229)

SPLENDID CITY BLOCK.

CASTLEREAGH-STREET, BETWEEN KING and MARKET STREETS.

TO MERCHANTS, THE LEGAL PROFESSION, MANUFACTURERS, and SPECULATORS.

LEASE for BALANCE of 21 YEARS.
44 FEET Frontage to CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
with the great depth of 168 feet, abutting on
HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Building covenant is only £3000.

It is not often that a block of land so centrally situated in a steadily-advancing part of our active city and with such an enormous depth is available on the favourable terms of about 21 years' lease.
The position renders it so suitable for a variety of profitable uses, and there is this great advantage to many, that the large capital sum that would be required to purchase it, if offered as a FREEHOLD, is not to be sought for, while the term of lease (allowed by Act of Parliament) is sufficiently long to allow the lessee to secure a very good annual profit from the venture.
ANNUAL RENTAL remains the same throughout the term, notwithstanding the great enhancement which must attach to this position within a few years.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The lease for about 21 years of above city land, Castlereagh-street.
The annual RENTAL is only £300 per annum, a very low estimate.

Purchasers will bid a lump sum by way of bonus for the right to acquire this exceptionally-situated block under such a favourable lease as to rent and building covenant.
Copy of lease is at our Rooms for inspection, also information about the party wall. (2247)

CITY PROPERTIES
in
LIVERPOOL-STREET,
near George-street;
FOVEAUX-STREET,
off Elizabeth-street South.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The following central city investments, viz:—
1st. LIVERPOOL-STREET,
a little west of George-street.
6 SHOPS, Nos. 77 to 87, LIVERPOOL-STREET, and 8 HOUSES at the rear. They are built of brick on stone foundations, and contain the following accommodation:—Each Shop, 5 apartments, awning in front; each Dwelling, balcony, 4 rooms.
The Land has 83ft. 8in. frontage, depth over 100ft.
*** A capital investment in busy thoroughfare, leading from Wharfs at Darling Harbour to George-street, Oxford-street, &c., &c. Rental, £806 per annum.
2nd. FOVEAUX-STREET, SURRY HILLS,
a little east of Elizabeth-street South.
The BRAIDWOOD HOTEL, SHOP and TERRACE of SIX HOUSES, Nos. 17 to 33, Foveaux-street, Surry Hills. They are built of brick, cemented and painted fronts, on stone foundations, and contain the following accommodation:—HOTEL, cellar, bar, 10 rooms, kitchen. SHOP, 6 apartments, kitchen, and bathroom. Each HOUSE, balcony in front, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse. Rental, £673 8s per annum.
The Land has 140ft. frontage, depth 100ft. extending to lane at rear.
*** This compact block of Freehold Property, from its central position, commands constant tenants.
Terms at sale. (2241)

IN LOTS,
3 SUPERIOR COTTAGES, WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, and VACANT ALLOTMENTS, ROCKDALE.

Attractive and Most Faithfully Built, near Station, on the Rocky Point-road, a pleasant position commanding pretty views.
THREE detached COTTAGE VILLAS, called MITIAMS, RAMSGATE, and KENT, of brick on stone foundations, slate roof, each having verandahs front and rear, and containing hall, 5 rooms, servant's room, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse, and fuel shed; one has stabling at rear of brick, and comprising two stalls, buggy room, loft over.
The total Land has an area of 2 ACRES 3 ROODS 36 PERCHES, having 544½ft. frontage to ROCKY POINT-ROAD, and a depth of about 224ft. It is subdivided into 10 lots. Nos. 1 to 3 have the VILLAS thereon, No. 4 a WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, and Nos. 5 to 10 are VACANT LAND. This property is superior, and recommended to the notice of capitalists or speculators, or friends could arrange to divide for comfortable home residences in a pretty convenient suburb on the Illawarra Railway Line.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above villa cottages and vacant sites at Rockdale.
Inspection invited. Plan of subdivision on view.
Messrs. JONES and JONES are Solicitors. (2231)

JARRETT-STREET, LEICHHARDT,
close to Parramatta-road and tramway, and opposite Thornley-street, thus giving a benefit of outlook to this dwelling, No. 28, JARRETT-STREET, which is TWO STORIED, built of brick on stone, slate roof, having verandah and balcony, four rooms and kitchen; a side passage leads to good yard. Land is 20 feet by 100 feet.

By order of the Mortgagee.
JONES and JONES, 77, Pitt-street, are the Solicitors.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell as above, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
HOUSE, LEICHHARDT. (2234)

RILEY-STREET, SURRY HILLS.
KIMPTON HOUSE, No. 342, Riley-street, east side, a few yards south of Foveaux-street. It is built of brick, with verandah and balcony in front, and contain hall, 6 rooms, large kitchen, washhouse, bath, stable, yard paved. The land has 20ft. frontage, with a depth of 101ft. extending to lane at rear.
*** An attractive and very desirable city dwelling on the heights of Surry Hills, handy to tram.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above city home. (2239)

By Order of the EXECUTORS of the ESTATE Late Mr. JOSEPH SEALE.

CASTLEREAGH-STREET, CITY.

Central and Valuable ALLOTMENT, 25½ft. Frontage to the west side of Castlereagh-street, with a depth of about 53½ft., and a width at rear of 28ft. On it is erected No. 317, a COTTAGE of brick, containing 4 rooms and 2 detached rooms at rear.
*** This small city freehold adjoins the Yorkshire Stingo Hotel, at the corner of Goulburn-street, and is nearly opposite the New Oddfellows' Hall, now leased by Government for Police Court.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, August 3, at 11 o'clock,
The above city property.
W. J. WEST, Esq., Hunter-st., is Solicitor of the Estate. (2223)

REGENT-STREET, CITY.

THE MAIN THOROUGHFARE
from
GEORGE-STREET WEST,
to
CHIPPENDALE, REDFERN, WATERLOO, and BOTANY.

By Order of the Commissioner for Railways.

VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND,
having 38½ft. frontage to the west side of REGENT-STREET, a few yards north of the MERCANTILE BANK, at the corner of CLEVELAND-STREET, depth 80ft. along a side lane, and having a Lane at the rear, together with the TWO SHOPS and DWELLINGS thereon.
*** These BUSINESS PREMISES were resumed for widening the Redfern tunnel, and are now sold because they are not required for that purpose.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, August 3, at 11 o'clock,
The above city property.
Plan on view at the Rooms. (2218)

DRUITTOWN.
DOUBLE FRONTAGE BLOCK of LAND, having 100ft. frontage to BROOKLYN-STREET, and 100ft. to BARTON-STREET, depth through, 304ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above land, a little off the Liverpool-road, at Druitt Town.
Torrens' Title. Plan on view. (2240)

WATER FRONTAGE BLOCK,
in area over
TWO AND A QUARTER ACRES,
approached by good road from the city.

To MANUFACTURERS, TIMBER MERCHANTS, and SPECULATORS.

That easily-reached
WATERSIDE BLOCK OF LAND,
having frontage to
LONG COVE, BALMAIN,
and 140½ feet to
TERRY-STREET,
with the great depth through of 712 feet.

*** This important and very extensive area of water frontage land is on Sydney side of Long Cove Bridge, and will, no doubt, in a few years be of great value for business purposes.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above valuable waterside freehold at Balmain, adjoining Messrs. Dickson and Son's sawmills.
Plan on view. (2225)

KINGSCLEAR-ROAD, ALEXANDRIA,
close to Henderson-road and Public Park.

TYNE Cottages, three in number, well built of brick, slate roofs, each verandah. ONE has hall, 5 rooms, and bathroom. TWO contain each 3 rooms and washhouse.
LOW RENTALS, £88 2s per annum.
A handy position in a populous district, and near active works of various character.
FREEHOLD TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above freehold cottages, Alexandria. (2233)

TO CAPITALISTS, MEDICAL MEN, and SPECULATORS.

CITY LAND,
in a choice and convenient position.

PHILLIP-STREET,
between
HUNTER and BENT STREETS,
handy to the Clubs, Government Offices, Domain, and Gardens.

That VERY VALUABLE and CENTRAL BLOCK of CITY LAND, having 40ft. 5in. frontage to the west side of PHILLIP-STREET, with a depth of about 114ft., upon which are No. 99 and portion of No. 97, Phillip-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
This splendid site, in a valuable position, in an important and central street, where first-class suites of offices and family residences are monthly being erected, and it is near to the new Public Library, Houses of Parliament, Coffee Palace, and other attractive buildings.

The particular attention of capitalists, builders, and others is specially directed to this sale.
Plan on view. Terms at sale. (2220)

CITY LAND,
in a position that must
YEARLY INCREASE IN VALUE.

FOR SPECULATION OR IMMEDIATE USE.

GOULBURN-STREET,
in view of and close to
GEORGE-STREET.

THAT DOUBLE FRONTAGE and EXTENSIVE AREA OF CITY LAND,
having frontages of
58½ft. to GOULBURN-STREET,
and
154ft. to SIDE LANE,
with at rear 36ft., depth on other line 120ft.

*** This valuable freehold vacant Block is between George and Pitt streets, in Goulburn-street, which in a few years must become about the centre of our small but important city.
The attention of Speculators and Capitalists is specially directed to the sale of this business site.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH has received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described central city land, plan of which is on view at our Rooms.
TERMS AT SALE. (2260)

VICTORIA-STREET, PETERSHAM,
Near Toothill-street, and the residences of W. L. Davis, Esq., M.L.A. and Mr. Alderman Evans. It is also handy to Lewisham Station.
VERA, Cottage of wood, having verandahs, 3 rooms, pantry, and detached building; land is 22½ft. x 132ft. This is a cosy small cottage.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Key at Mr. Hely's shop at corner.

FOR PEREMPTORY SALE.

FOREST LODGE.

LEASEHOLD.—MOUNT VERNON-STREET, between Catherine-street and Town Hall, vacant Allotment, 80ft. frontage, 120ft. in depth. Leasehold about 83½ years to run, at £16 5s annual ground rental. Covenant to build 4 houses.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH will sell by public auction, at the Rooms Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 10th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above, for positive sale.

FIRST-CLASS CITY RESIDENCES.

DARLINGHURST-ROAD
and
ROSEBANK-STREET.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

LOT 1. RESIDENCE, No. 69, DARLINGHURST-ROAD. This property is known as TREGEARE, and is at present occupied by Dr. Kyngdon. It is built of brick (cemented) on stone foundations, with verandah and balconies to each floor. It contains hall, nine apartments, bathroom, kitchen, outoffices, and good cellars, with a detached brick 2-stall stable and coachhouse, with loft over.
It is erected on a parcel of land having 23 feet frontage to the DARLINGHURST-ROAD, by a depth of about 130 feet, extending to Kirkton-road.

LOT 2. RESIDENCE, No. 10, ROSEBANK-STREET, close to the southern side of William-street, Woolloomooloo.—It is built of brick, on stone foundations, and contains hall, eight rooms, bathroom, &c.
It stands on an allotment of land having 18 feet frontage to Rosebank-street by a depth of 75 feet to Kirkton-road.

The above residences are substantially built, and well-finished throughout; both are in first-class order, and situated within 10 minutes' walk of the heart of the city. They may be inspected on production of cards to be obtained at the auctioneers.

*** These two properties for situation, good work, and finish, can be well recommended.

Title unquestionable.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above choice residences, subject to their present leases, viz.:—
Tregeare, to expire on 11th June, 1889—rental, £218
Rosebank, ditto ditto 11th June, 1889—rental, £114

Terms, liberal, at sale. (2254)

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE,
That Well-known Woolwashing and Fellmongering Establishment,
QUARTRE-BRAS,
just off the BOTANY-ROAD, with its ample and complete
PLANT OF MACHINERY,
in perfect working order.

QUARTRE-BRAS is situated a few minutes' walk from the Botany-road, close to the site of the old Tollbar. The area of the Land is about 13 Acres, with an unlimited supply of water for present business or any other manufacturing purpose.

The Title is Leasehold (part of the Cooper Estate), having about 6½ years yet to run, at the following rentals, viz.:—
£250 per annum till 1st January, 1890; and
£450 per annum thereafter till termination of lease in 1895.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early date, of which due notice will be given, the above-named
WOOLWASHING and FELLMONGERING WORKS, with extensive plant of machinery, an inventory of which may be inspected at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, where further information concerning the property may be obtained.

TERMS AT SALE. (2246)

FACING RAILWAY, SUMMER HILL.

A really good CORNER, northern side of the line, having 41ft. to DOVER-STREET, 213 2-12ft. to GROSVENOR CRESCENT, rear line of 115½ft.
FOR USE, OR FOR CUTTING UP.
as the position is good and so handy to the station of this most popular Railway Suburb.
TORRENS' TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner, Summer Hill. (2232)

KING-STREET, CITY, near WHARF.

A valuable leading Street for shop or store, and when the future policy in respect to the railway scheme be established, this position will greatly enhance.
LAND 17 FEET to south side of King-street, between Kent and Sussex streets; width at rear is 16 feet, with wide gate right-of way at side, and title right to build on same.
On it is No. 37, formerly a produce store.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, at 11 o'clock,
The above central commercial position. (2235)

COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, CROYDON.

COTTAGE, well built of brick, on stone foundations, shingle roof, having verandah front and rear, hall, 6 rooms, dressing-room, bathroom, pantry, kitchen and servant's room, fuel room. It is pleasantly situated in Grosvenor-street, two minutes from station, and extending back on the height to the Railway Line.
LAND, 150ft. by about 141ft.
The district is popular, being healthy and privileged with the fullest facilities of travel by quick frequent trains. The ground is amply spacious to be made very attractive or profitably useful. The owner is now resident in the country, hence the sale of this most desirable suburban home cottage or investment property.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 3rd AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Open daily for inspection. (2230)

WOOLLAHRA—QUEEN-STREET.

GRAND RESIDENCE SITE.

THURSDAY, 9th AUGUST.

QUEEN-STREET FRONTAGE, near NELSON-STREET,
having
35 FEET FRONTAGE TO QUEEN-STREET,
by a depth of 84ft. with Nelson-lane, 20ft. wide, at side.

LEASEHOLD TITLE, about 67 years to run,
FREE OF GROUND RENT.

MILLS and PILE have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 130, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 9th August, at 11.30, the above
CHOICE BUILDING SITE
in the
BEST PART OF QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA,
close to two tram lines, and elevated position.

LAND SALE.

By Order of the Mortgagees.

WOODIN and ROBBERDS have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 134, Pitt-street, near King-street, on
THURSDAY, 2nd AUGUST, 1888,
at 11.30 a.m.

BOTANY. A block of land, having 110ft. frontage to Bay-street by a depth of 83ft., and on which are erected two four-roomed cottages of weatherboard, with iron roofs. Torrens' title.

CONCORD. A block of land, having a frontage of 33ft. to Major's Bay-road by a depth of 110ft., extending to a lane at the rear. Erected upon this property are two substantially-built stone dwelling houses, at present let at 8s per week each. Good freehold title.

CITY. Block of land, having 30ft. frontage to Lower Campbell-street by a depth of 80ft. along Smither's-lane. Erected upon this property are a weatherboard house and blacksmith's shop. Freehold title.

MARRICKVILLE. A block of land, situated within three minutes of Marrickville railway station, being lot 70 of the Transvaal Estate, having 30ft. frontage to Cardogan-street by a depth of 109ft., extending to a lane at rear. Torrens' title.

REDMYRE. A corner block of good building land, being part of the subdivision of James Wilshire's Crown grant, having 101ft. frontage to DEAN-STREET by a depth of 130ft. 5in. along BROOKLYN-STREET. Torrens' title.
N.B.—The Druitt Town tram line is expected to be taken along Dean-street.

SOUTH HEAD. Part of the subdivision of M. Burke's Crown grant, being allotments Nos. 66 and 68, having a frontage of 40ft. to Palmer-street by a depth of 115ft. 6in.
This land is well sheltered from bleak winds, but has a beautiful outlook which cannot be built out.

The auctioneers wish to intimate to intending purchasers that they will sell the above either for cash or, except the Concord property, will accept a very small deposit, balance on very advantageous terms.

GRAND SPECULATION.

To Capitalists, Hotel Proprietors, Syndicates, and Others.

A RAPID FORTUNE ASSURED.

The Most Valuable
CORNER BLOCK
in the
CITY OF BATHURST.

FOR AUCTION SALE.

Under the provisions of the Settled Estates Act.

30 YEARS' LEASE,
with
MODERATE BUILDING COVENANT.

TUESDAY, 7th AUGUST, 1888,
at 2.30 p.m.

CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY have received instructions from the TRUSTEES of the will of the late THOMAS KITE to sell by auction, at their ROOMS, BATHURST,
As above,
66ft. to WILLIAM-STREET
200ft. to HOWICK-STREET.

This Valuable and Choice Block
is situated immediately opposite the School of Arts,
and in the
VERY HEART OF THE CITY.

The site is eminently adapted for the erection of a large Family and Commercial Hotel and Suite of Offices or other Business Emporium. In the hands of an enterprising man or syndicate an easy, certain, and rapid fortune must be acquired.

For further particulars apply
CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY.

CENTRALLY-SITUATED PROPERTY IN ROCKHAMPTON.

The PROPERTY OF THE PRIMITIVE METHODIST CORPORATION.

The attention of speculators and others is invited to the auction sale of the above PROPERTY, to take place on FRIDAY 24th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock, at the Rooms of the undersigned, Denham-street, Rockhampton.

ONE OF THE MOST VALUABLE FREEHOLDS IN ROCKHAMPTON.

For full particulars see the Brisbane Courier, Rockhampton Bulletin, and Northern Argus.
G. S. CURTIS,
Auctioneer.

AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE CO. OF SYDNEY, LT.
Notice to Capitalists, Investors, and Speculators.
Sale by Public Auction.

THE ABOVE EXCHANGE CO., at their premises, 335, George-street, will sell by auction, on TUESDAY, the 31st instant, the undermentioned stocks,
At 11 a.m. sharp, MINING STOCKS, as under:—
1000 shares Bredbo Gold and Silver Co., no liability, £1 shares, contributing
1000 shares Bredbo Gold and Silver Co., no liability, £1 shares, paid up
500 shares Taralba Coal Co., contributing, 15s paid
150 shares Sunny Corner S. M. Co.
60 shares Cobar Copper Mine Co.
1666 shares Palmerston Tin Co., paid up
1000 shares Port Darwin Tin Co.
2000 shares Corona S. M. Co., paid up
73 shares Oban Tin and Gem Co., £10 shares, no liability, in lots of tens, and fives, and threes
500 shares Delaney's Dyke, in lines of 100
1 share Bushman's Syndicate
150 shares Highland Home Tin Co. (100 paid up, 50 contributing)
20 shares Ophir Gold-mining Co.
At 3 p.m. sharp, INVESTMENT STOCKS, as under:—
200 shares Port Jackson S. N. Co., £5 shares, paid up to 60s
100 shares Anglo Australian L., F., and L. Co., paid to 20s each, ex div. (rapidly rising)
300 shares Excelsior L., I., and B. Co., paid to 40s each (sterling investment)
20 shares Anglo Australian L., F., and L. Co., paid to £5 each (one of the best lines going)
200 shares Mercantile B. L. and I. Co., paid to 7s (ex div)
10 shares N. S. W. Property Investment Co., paid to £11 each
500 shares Australasian Mining Exchange, paid to 2s, last div. equal to 50 per cent.
200 shares Phillip Stephan Photo. Litho. Co., 20 per cent. div. expected next month, paid up to 20s each, large prospective advantages
50 shares Sydney and Provincial L. and B. Co., with 7 months' div. accrued, fully paid to £5 each
710 shares Reform Land Co., paid to 14s each, with 7 months' div., the scrip in following parcels—100, 160, and 450
250 shares North Illawarra Coal, paid to 12s each, the value of these shares will be considerably increased upon the completion of the Wollongong railway, which passes through this property
600 shares City Mutual Fire Insurance Society, paid to 2s each
45 shares Town and Country, paid to 52s 6d, with 7 months' dividend, probably 10 per cent.
100 shares Land Co. of Australasia, paid to 40s each, with 7 months' dividend
250 shares Imperial Land B. and D. Co., paid to 15s
20 shares Australian Trust M. and A. I. Co., paid up to £1 each
200 shares Australian Builder and C. News Publishing Co., paid up to £1
400 shares Australian Broking Co., paid to 20s each.
S. SAMPSON, Managing Director.

SUTHERLAND £100 HANDICAP.—Final, THIS AFTERNOON. Special Train, 5 to 2 (1.55).

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. EDWARD WILLIAM SQUIRES are respectfully informed that his Funeral will leave No. 1 Avon-street, off Ferry-road, Glebe Point, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, for Redfern Railway Station, thence, by 9 a.m. train, to Penrith; and move from his parents' residence at 2 p.m., to Emu Plains Cemetery. Wood & Co.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. MARGARET O'BRIEN are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 18, Judge-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40 and 169, Riley-street, and Forest Lodge tram terminus.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. MICHAEL CANDRICK are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SISTER, Margaret O'Brien: to move from her late residence, 18, Judge-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45, to Necropolis. WILLIAM J. DIXON, Embalmer and Undertaker, 40 and 169, Riley-st., and 42, Ross-st., Forest Lodge.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM JOHN WESTHEIDER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Pile-street, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2 o'clock, for Petersham Railway station, thence by funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 799, George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEORGE WILLIAM WESTHEIDER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, William John Westheider; to move from his late residence, Pile-street, off Livingstone-road, Marrickville, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2, for Petersham station, thence by train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. CHARLES HENRY WESTHEIDER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, William John Westheider; to move from his late residence, Pile-street, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2, for Petersham Station, thence funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. HENRY EDWARD WESTHEIDER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, William John Westheider; to move from his late residence, Pile-street, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2, for Petersham Station, thence funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEORGE RADFORD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FRIEND, William John Westheider; to move from his late residence, Pile-street, Marrickville, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2, for Petersham Station, thence funeral train to Necropolis. WOOD and CO., Undertakers, 799, George-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOS. DUFFY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Delia; to move from his residence, No. 66, Washington-street, Sydney, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2, for Necropolis. WOOD and COMPANY, Undertakers, 799, George-street, Sydney, and Darling-street, Balmain.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. JOSEPH DENLEY are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his residence, 83, Nelson-street, Annandale, quarter before 2, to Mortuary, thence by the funeral train to the Necropolis, Rookwood, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES OAKES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of the late Mr. JAMES CLINCH MARLER; to move from the Sydney Hospital THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. CHARLES KINSELA, Undertaker, 765, George-street (opposite Christ Church), and 118, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of FREDERICK and MARTHA CHAFFER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Lillian Mabel; to move from their residence, No. 51, Wellington-street, Waterloo, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis, Rookwood. JOSEPH MEDCALF, Undertaker, Regent-st., Redfern.

THE FRIENDS of Mrs. P. HARTIGAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved HUSBAND, the late Mr. Patrick Hartigan, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from the residence of his Uncle, Mr. John Hartigan, 79, Phelps-street, Surry Hills, at 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Necropolis. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 23, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. ANNE HUGHES, relict of the late Mr. Patrick Hughes, are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 131, Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2.15, for R. C. Cemetery, Waverley. W. HYDE, Undertaker, 90½, Hunter-street.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. EDWARD and MICHAEL HUGHES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Anne Hughes; to move from her late residence, 131, Albion-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2.15, for R. C. Cemetery, Waverley. W. HYDE, Undertaker, 90½, Hunter-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. ELIZABETH QUINSEY are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, No. 519, Riley-street, Surry Hills, off Devonshire-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, No. 8, George-street West (only).

THE FRIENDS of RICHARD, ABRAHAM, GEORGE, and ROBERT QUINSEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved MOTHER, Elizabeth; to move from No. 519, Riley-street, Surry Hills, off Devonshire-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery. J. and G. Shying and Co., Undertakers, 8, Geo.-st. W.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. FRANK JOHNSTON are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of his mother, Albert-street, Paddington, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3, for Waverley.
WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Messrs. ANDREW and WILLIAM JOHNSTON are respectfully invited to the Funeral of their beloved BROTHER Frank; to move from Albert-street, Paddington, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, at 3, for Waverley. WALTER STEWART.

Calls on Shares.

THE SYDNEY ROCKWELL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited, Rockwell Paddock.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the eighth) of 6d per share has THIS DAY been made, payable to me, at 143, King-street, Sydney, on or before TUESDAY, the 14th day of August, 1888.

By order of the Board.
HENRY CHAPMAN,
Secretary.

143, King-street, Sydney,
July 25, 1888.

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A CALL (No. 17) of TWO SHILLINGS (2s) per Share has been made, payable 8th August, at the Company's office, Exchange, Sydney.
By order.
C. SMITH,
Secretary.

Sydney, 28th July, 1888.

Machinery.

ENGINES, BOILERS, &c. Prices and particulars of second-hand Engines and Boilers required by J. H. GEDDES and CO., 19, Phillip-street, Sydney.

BOILER for SALE, cheap, 16-horse power, tubular. Conlon's Pottery, Broughton-street, Glebe.

ENGINES, Portable, Horizontal, and Vertical Marine Engines, Hoisting Engines, Vertical Boilers Saw Benches, Band Saw, General Joiner. JAMES DUNN and CO., Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.

WANTED, STEAM-ENGINE, good, 6 or 8 horse power, portable, Vertical or Horizontal, complete. State price and where to be seen to W. Fleming, Mountain View, St. Marys.

GENERAL JOINER, by Fay, secondhand. James Dunn and Co., Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.

Professions, Trades, &c.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, Governess, R. C., teach English and music, country, 3 girls.

AT 108, Bathurst-street, G. Institute.—Wanted, N. Governess, for station, £35; Parramatta, £30; good Needlewomen; Governess for school, English and music, prepare pupils for matriculation; L. Help, town, £26.

A FEW GOOD DRESSMAKERS WANTED.
BODY HANDS and SKIRT HANDS.

Short Hours
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W. G. SIMON,
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BOOT and SHOE TRADE.—Wanted, a BLOCKER. J. Jackson, Redfern.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Boot MACHINISTS, out door. Factory, 260, Pitt-street, Sydney.

BRICKLAYERS.—Keep away from Brisbane; strike on wages question. JOHN BROWN, Secretary.

BUTCHERS.—Mackenzie or Blackett's London-made Smocks and Aprons at Johnston and Co.'s 243 and 245, Geo.-s.

CANVASSERS.—Lady or Gentleman to take orders for photographs; good premium. 205, Oxford-st., upstairs.

CARPENTER wanted, good man. Apply W. Langdon, Gladstone-terrace, Moonbie-street, Summer Hill.

CARPENTERS wanted. Apply new building, corner of Wolseley and South Head roads, Rose Bay.

DRAMATIC Leading LADY, Gentleman Amateur for Society, with musical talent, resp'y indis'e. Thespis, Herald.

DRAPERS.—Wanted, a smart Junior ASSISTANT. James Johnson and Co., 243 and 245, George-street.

DRAPERS wanted, also a JUNIOR. 678, George-street.

DRESSMAKER wanted, work by day or week. A. Y., Crown-street Post-office.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, first-class HAND; also 2 Apps. London Scientific D. Rooms, 63, Royal Arcade.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, good Dressmaker, good body-trimmer and stylish. Mde. Kelley, 131, Oxford-st.

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DRESSMAKING.—Good MACHINIST and Improvers wanted. W. E. Ellis and Co., 90, Castlereagh-street.

DUNGAREE.—Clothing made of the best American Dungaree at J. Johnston and Co., 243 and 245, Georgest.

DRESSMAKER wanted for the country (near Sydney), must be good fit and stylish; 30s, with board and residence. Lark, Sons, and Co.

DRESSMAKER.—Wanted, first-class HAND, competent to manage department in large provincial establishment. Apply Crawshaw and Co., Moore-street.

GENTLEMEN'S Hosier and Glover.—Wanted, an ASSISTANT. State refs. and salary, Box 846, G. P. O.

GOOD CARPENTER wanted for job at North Shore. Apply Harbour View Hotel, Dawes Point.

GOVERNESSES' and Tutors' Institute, 55, Hunter-street.—Mrs. Mead requires Governess for Queensland, 60 guineas; Housekeeper, Narrandera, 50; Music Teacher, Moruya; Milliner and Dressmaker, country; School for Sale (boys').

HAIRDRESSER.—Wanted, a good HAND; wages no object. Apply F. A. Harris, 262, Darling-st., Balmain.

HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAND. 9½, Oxford-street.

JOINER'S IMPROVER wanted. Apply before 8, 1, Wells-street, near Castlereagh-street, Redfern.

JEWELLER.—Wanted, first-class WORKMAN. State ability, with reference, and wages required, E. Durant, Courier-passage, Edward-street, Brisbane.

LEGAL.—Experienced Managing Conveyancing CLERK required, for Melbourne firm. Reply, stating salary and references, to Lex, Herald Office.

MASONS.—Wanted, SETTERS. Apply on job, Longueville, Lane Cove River.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, young Ladies, Apprentices. Mrs. Taylor, 12, Alberto-terrace, Darlinghurst-road.

MANAGER required for branch office. By letter only, with copies of testimonials, Alfred Lawrence and Co., Australian Brewers' Journal, 91, Pitt-street.

MARYBOROUGH HOSPITAL.

Required for the Maryborough Hospital, Queensland, a MATRON, salary £75 per annum. Also, HEAD NURSE, salary £50 per annum. Duties to commence on or before August 19. Applications with testimonials to be in the hands of the Secretary on or before 7th August next.

PAINTERS.—First-class HANDS wanted at Supreme Courts, King-street, 8 o'clock.

PAINTERS.—IMPROVER wanted, 8 sharp. 6, Rose-street, Blackfriar's Estate, South Sydney.

PAINTERS and Improvers, must be smart. Packer and Rose, Parramatta-rd., near Young-street, Annandale.

PARTNERSHIP.—Intelligent man with £70; good investment and employment. Apply Go-a-head, care Herald.

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PARTNERSHIP.—Special opening to-day for young gentleman of means, good income. See Gibbs, 189, Pitt-st.

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PASTRYCOOKS.—Wanted, a single MAN; references. London Pie House, 757, George-street.

PINAFORES and Sun Bonnets.—Good MACHINISTS wanted, machines driven by engine. 239, Castlereagh-st.

PARTNERSHIP, Managing, in importing firm, open, salary £250 per annum and share of profits; capital required £1000; strictest investigation. K. C. B., Herald Office.

PARTNER wanted, active or otherwise, £300 to £1000, Manufacturing Concern, large demand by merchants, 100 per cent. profits, which investigation will prove. Principal only. Apply Raymond House, Marion-street, Enmore.

PRINCE ALFRED HOSPITAL.

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT, salary £400 per annum. Applications for this office will be received until August 4; they should be addressed to the honorary secretary, 205, Macquarie-street, Sydney.
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SMART, respectable BOYS wanted for machine room. Turner and Henderson, Hunter-street.

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TO JOINERS.—Wanted, a smart IMPROVER. Apply Thomas and Hall, builders, Newtown-road.

TO PAINTERS.—Good General HAND wanted. J. F. Stevens, painter, &c., 114, Burton-st., Darlinghurst.

TO PLASTERERS.—Wanted, smart Improvers. Apply Cleveland-street, near Regent-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good PRESSER. Apply Bijou Tailoring Establishment, 22½, Park-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a Junior PRESSER. Hagon Bros., 118, Oxford-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, IMPROVERS for coatmaking. Apply A. Finlayson, 14, York-street.

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TUTOR.—GENTLEMAN wanted on a station. Apply, giving reference, Tutela, Crookwell, via Goulburn.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, steady young MAN to take charge of saloon at once. Apply 87, Palmer-street, corner Woolloomooloo-street.

TWO CANVASSERS and COLLECTORS wanted to canvass Sydney and suburbs for Industrial Life Assurance. Salary and commission; references required. Apply to-day, before 12 noon, to Citizens' Life Assurance Coy., Ltd., 47, Castlereagh-street.

TO MASTER MILLERS.—The advertiser, who has just arrived from England, wishes for an ENGAGEMENT in the colony. He is a good miller, and has for the last 20 years been foreman to Joseph Thorley, of King's Cross, London, the celebrated cattle-food maker; he can drive an engine and do millwrighting. Address Edward Parker, Edgecliffe P. O., Woollahra.

WANTED, first-class Shirt HANDS, to work in Sydney. Debney and Co., 13, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a PARTNER with £200 or £300, buy goods for country sale. Good Speculation, Herald.

WANTED, Bricklayers to keep away from Brisbane during strike on wages question. John Brown, secretary.

WANTED, PLUMBER, for small job. James Colley, Westmoreland-street, Forest Lodge.

WANTED, IMPROVER, and Boy, to the plumbing. Apply J. Fenton, Glenmore-road, Paddington.

WANTED, two good HARNESS-MAKERS. Apply R. Sharp, Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a Junior CLERK, with a knowledge of bookkeeping. State age and salary to Box 716, G. P. O.

WANTED, CANVASSERS, first-class men; salary and commission. 30, Beaumont-chambers, King-street.

WANTED, smart MAN, as Traveller and Collector. Cox and Eagar, Tailors and Cleaners, 158, Liverpool-st.

WANTED, NEEDLEWOMAN, assist in housework. Coffee Palace, 521, George-street.

WANTED, leading MOULDER, first-class hand. Apply by letter, Thos. Wearne, locomotive works, Glebe.

WANTED, respectable BOY, with knowledge hairdressing preferred. 112, Oxford-st., near Crown-street.

WANTED, a smart BOY, for shop. 146, Harris-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a LAD for the warehouse, wages 10s per week. D. Mitchell and Co., 153, Clarence-street.

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WANTED, Baker and Smallgoods Maker; also Jobbing and Shoeing Smith. Glue's Agency, 44, Hunter-street.

WANTED, experienced CUTTER for guillotine machine. Turner and Henderson, Hunter-street.

WANTED, YOUTH for clothing business, ten and his board. 209, George-street North.

WANTED, a PLASTERER for cement work. Cottage, Gerald-street, Marrickville-road, near station.

WANTED, first-class Coat, Vest, and Trousers HANDS. Hagon Bros., 135, King-street.

WANTED, energetic young MAN to canvass suburbs. Apply Singer Manufacturing Company, 245, Pitt-street.

WANTED, 2 CARPENTERS. Elliott and Lake, 340, Glenmore-road.

WANTED, 3 BRICKLAYERS. Apply opposite Post-office, Newtown.

WANTED, a young MAN for orders and useful. Apply F. H. Jarvis, Enmore-road, Newtown.

WANTED, a PARTNER, to act as Salesman, ready-money business, cash £300. O. K., Herald Office.

WANTED, Plasterer's IMPROVER. 22, Egan-street, Newtown, early.

WANTED, a FLOORMAN. Apply G. Cahill, Campbell-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a respectable, smart OFFICE-BOY; good references required. Julius Goldschmidt and Co., 231, Clarence-street. Apply after 4 o'clock p.m. only.

WANTED, ASSISTANT for country store; able to take either the drapery or the books. Applications, enclosing copies of refs. and stating age, to Box, G. P. O.

WANTED, a GENTLEMAN of good experience in general office work; must be a thorough bookkeeper; only those with highest references need apply. P. O. Box 765.

WANTED, GOVERNESS, for Queensland. Thorough English education, music, singing, and needlework. Apply Mrs. R. Jones, Bengal House, 23, Jamieson-street.

WANTED, a smart Junior SALESMAN, for general store, near Sydney. Apply at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at W. H. Ariell's and Co., 335, Kent-street.

WANTED, immediately, an experienced DRESSMAKER for Store in country. Apply between 8 o'clock and 1, at Picton Arms Hotel, Campbell-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, a young Lady as Nursery GOVERNESS and HELP. Apply by letter, stating salary expected, to Mrs. Walter S. Suttor, Warrangong, via Cowra.

WANTED, Master Plasterers and Builders to know that Journeymen PLASTERERS can be had by applying to Labour Secretary on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday, between 7 and 8 p.m., Swan With Two Necks, George and Park sts.

WANTED, for country solicitor's office, a good general CLERK, with knowledge of conveyancing. Apply, giving references and stating salary required, Blackstone, Herald Office.

WANTED, a practical MAN to take charge of a Huntingdon Crushing Mill in New South Wales, must thoroughly understand the process. Apply, with testimonials, stating terms to Huntingdon, Herald Office.

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WANTED, a good General WHEELWRIGHT. Apply, stating wages, to
J. CONWAY,
Wheelwright, &c.,
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YOUNG GIRLS, for light sewing, constant. 410, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

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ALL classes Female Servants disengaged, town or country, refs. Simmonds's Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

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AS Baker by experienced respectable young German, good refs., 30s, country preferred. H., 83, Market-street.

AS General SERVANT, small family, or House and Parlour Maid. Address M. M., care 144, William street.

AS GROOM, gardener, drive, milk, generally useful man. J. P., 32, Francis-street, Hyde Park.

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AT the Servants' Home, 83, Market-st.—No charge to employers engaging male servants for country and town.

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A YOUNG Man of travelling experience would ENGAGE himself as Valet with a gentleman who is about to travel in or out of the colonies. Full particulars given by addressing Eureka, Herald Office.

AT 108, Bathurst-st., G. Institute.—Waiting, Finishing Governess, Medium Governess, English, French, music, singing, drawing; also, middle-aged Lady, English, French, music, singing, drawing, needlework; N. Governess, L. Helps, exp. Cook, C. L., and H. P., W. Housekeeper (child 6), good Cook, M. Couples, Grooms, and Coachmen.

BY good Man (26), groom, garden, milk, drive, mow, &c., 18 months' refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY Married Couple (young), groom, garden, milk, &c.; wife, C. and L., refs. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-street.

BY good Men Cooks, Milkers, Gardeners, Bakers, Ploughmen, useful Men. Simmonds, 222, Castlereagh-st.

COACHMAN, competent, Stock Station Manager, Traveller, Collector, any work. W., 47, North-st., Leichhardt.

EMPLOYERS, try Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street. All labour engaged and forwarded.

GARDENER (practical), flowers, fruit, vegetables, lawns, wants SITUATION; reference. R. A., Herald.

GENERAL SERVANT, by respectable young Woman, or Cook and Laundress; good refs. A. S., Herald Office.

GROOM wants SITUATION, drive, milk, garden; Sydney references. G. X., Herald Office.

HAIRDRESSERS.—First-class ladies' and gent.'s Hand, good boardsman, req. Situation. Launcelot, Herald.

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REQUIRED, by two respectable young Women, SITUATIONS as Cook and Laundress and Housemaid, together or separately; good references. G. L., Herald Office.

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WANTED, by respectable Widow, Situation, Working H'keeper; no encumb. Mrs. C. A. E., 1, Soho-ter., R'wick.

WANTED, by thorough competent Dressmaker, WORK, by day. H. W., Croydon Post-office, Croydon.

WANTED, by young English widow, SITUATION as Housekeeper. English, Post-office, William-street.

WANTED, by a young Person, SITUATION, G. S., references. 221, Crown-street.

WANTED, by young Person, SITUATION as Cook and Laundress. M. C., Queen-st. Post-office, Woollahra.

WANTED, by a respectable young Man, JOB as Driver, or work in store; good references. H. T., 56, Young-street, Redfern.

WANTED, by respectable young woman from the country, SITUATION as Housemaid or House and Parlour Maid in gentleman's family; open three days. Apply M. C., Post-office, Camperdown.

WANTED, SITUATION, lady with child 2 years, companion, lady help, responsible housekeeper, or place of trust, business or private; late from England. Mrs. Asser, R. O., Newcastle.

WANTED, by a respectable married man, SITUATION in store, town or country; capable of taking the management of a small country store or produce business, good bookkeeper, excellent references. Frank, Herald Office.

YOUNG Lady, high-class London education, wants Position, Governess, French, &c. Rev. G. Walters, Sydney.

YOUNG Lady wants SITUATION as Ladyhelp or Companion to lady. Urgent, G. P. O.

YOUNG Widow, with child 4 years, is anxious for Situation as Housekeeper or Gen. A. M. R., Leichhardt P.O.

YOUNG Lady desires Engagement as Governess to small children, or Companion, assist in housework, &c. Address M. E., Post-office, Armidale.

YOUNG Lady desires an ENGAGEMENT as Useful Companion, good needlewoman; would assist in household duties; comfortable home more desired than high salary. W. M. G., Post-office, Windsor.

Servants Wanted

A COMPETENT HOUSEMAID, good wages, waiting engagement, open 3 days. Fairview, Milson's Point.

ACTIVE Tidy Girl as General Servant, references. Mrs. Wm. Moseley, Palace-street, Petersham.

A GENERAL SERVANT, with reference wanted. 714, George-street, Haymarket.

A LAUNDRESS wanted, suburbs; House and Parlour Maids, 15s, country, sub. Miss Tripe, 217, Castlereagh-st.

ALL classes male and female Servants can be engaged daily. Miss Hall, registry, 171, Castlereagh-street.

AN INDIAN BUTLER required, willing to do little housework. Apply 10 o'clock, 205, Victoria-street.

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A RESPECTABLE young Girl, as General, wanted; another kept. Mrs. Emanuel, 90, Botany-st., Moore Park.

A SMART GIRL assist Waiting, also Housemaid wanted. City Coffee Palace, 615 and 617, George-street.

AT Jubilee Reg. Office, 199A, Elizabeth-st.—Wanted, Gen. Servants, H. and P. Maids, Cooks and Laundresses.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, 2 Laundresses for Catholic Institution, H'keepers, Cooks, G. Servants, &c.

A THOROUGH G. S., assist to nurse, required, Prot., good refs. After 10, Harbury, Waverley-street, Waverley.

A TRUSTWORTHY Person required, family three. Lynda, corner Stewart and Gordon streets, Paddington.

A RELIABLE young person required as NURSE and Assistant Housemaid; one well accustomed to young children; best references. Apply Mrs. Alfred Evans, London-street, Enmore.

AT the Home, 83, Market-st.—Wanted, Married Couples for stations—the men to cook, others various; single Men for stations and farms, Bushmen, Carpenters, Milkers, Gardeners, Grooms, Butchers, Waiters, indoor Servants, Boys, elderly Men.

AT Miss Butler's, 112, Market-st.—Wanted, several H. P. Maids, country hotels; Cook, station; Men Cooks; Lad, gen. useful; Nurse and Needlewoman, Darling Point; Cook and Laundress, 18s; General Servant, 2 in family, country, 15s.

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